FIFTEENTH DAY

(Continued.)

(Thursday, June 2, 1927.)

The House met at 9:30 o'clock a.m. and was called to order by Speaker Bobbitt.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING.

The following House bills, introduced today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Webb:

H. B. No. 140, A bill to be entitled "An Act to confer authority upon the commissioners court of any organized county that does not have a county board of trustees to appoint a county board of trustees to serve until the next election of school trustees, as provided for by law; defining the powers of county boards of trustees, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Beck:

H. B. No. 141, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 270, Section 14, of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Fortieth Legislature, so as to provide for the enforcement of the act by assessing and collecting a penalty instead of making the failure to obey the law a misdemeanor, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Mr. Duvall:

H. B. No. 142, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 4629 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, relating to divorces, so as to make subdivision 4 thereof read as follows: 'Where a husband and wife have lived apart without cohabitation for as long as five years,' and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Barron:

H. B. No. 143, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 42, Local and Special Laws, Regular Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature of the State of Texas, entitled 'An Act to create a more efficient and better road

system for Brazos county, Texas,' etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Mr. Wells:

H. B. No. 144, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 941 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas of 1925, so as to regulate and enact provisions in reference to the taking and catching of fish in certain waters; adding a new article to be numbered 941aa prescribing method of closing by proclamations of the commissioner; prescribing penalties for violations of the act; providing that this act shall supersede any conflicting provisions in the Revised Civil Statutes or any other law of this State conflicting with this act, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Johnson of Dimmit:

H. B. No. 145, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 7328 (7689) of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, which article relates to and provides for proceedings in tax suits and the manner provided by law in ordinary foreclosure suits in the district courts of this State; and which amendment to said Article 7328 provides that sales contemplated in tax foreclosure suits shall be made in the manner prescribed for the sale of real estate under execution, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Petsch:

H. B. No. 146, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 34 of Chapter 25 of the General Laws passed by the Thirty-ninth Legislature at the Regular Session, page 86, so as to provide for the approval of all bonds, including preliminary bonds, issued by water control and improvement districts, by the Attorney General, and for registration of such bonds in the office of the State Comptroller, and providing that such bonds shall be incontestable after such registration, and providing that preliminary bonds may be sold without the approval of the Attorney General, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Petsch:

H. B. No. 147, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the validation of all water control and improvement districts organized under Chapter 25 of the General Laws passed by the Thirtyninth Legislature at its Regular Session, and amendments thereto, and the proceedings had in the organization of such districts, and bonds issued thereby, and taxes levied in payment thereof, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Judiciary Committee.

HOUSE BILL NO. 41 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS.

Mr. Runge called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 41, A bill to be entitled "An Act for the relief of the Independent School District of Rock Springs and the city of Rock Springs, in Edwards county, Texas, in order to aid said municipalities in the reconstruction of public property destroyed by the recent cyclone in that community on the 12th day of April, 1927; granting and appropriating to said school district the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars for school building purposes, the sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars for equipping school buildings, the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars for maintenance of its schools, for the school year ending in 1928, and the sum of five thousand (\$5000) dollars for maintenance of its schools for the school year ending in 1929; granting and appropriating to said city of Rock Springs the sum of twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars for rebuilding and rehabilitating its waterworks system; prescribing manner in which the funds hereby granted and appropriated shall be paid, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, and the Senate amendments were read.

On motion of Mr. Runge, the House concurred in the Senate amendments by the following vote:

Yeas-105.

Mr. Speaker.	Bateman
Acker.	Bird.
Albritton.	Black.
Alexander.	Boggs.
Avis.	Branch.
Barron.	Brice.
Bass.	Brown.

Conway.	Parish of Runnels.
Cornwell.	Pavlica.
	Dagger
Cummings.	Pearce.
Daniel.	Petsch.
Davis.	Poage.
DeBerry.	Pope.
Dielmann.	Powell.
Enderby.	Rawlins.
Eickenroht.	Renfro
Farrar.	of Angelina.
Faulk.	Rogers of Hays.
Fly.	Rogers of Shelby.
Forbes.	Runge.
Gibson.	Sanders.
Gilbert.	Charren
	Shaver.
Gray.	Shearer.
Hagaman.	Sheats.
Hall.	Shirley.
Harding.	Simmons.
Harman.	Sinks.
Hefley.	Smith of Nueces.
High.	Smyth.
Hogg.	Snelgrove.
Holder.	Stell.
Johnson	Stevenson.
of Anderson.	Storey.
Johnson	Storey.
of Dimmit.	Swain.
	Torday
Jones.	Taylor.
Justice.	Teer.
Keeton.	Tillotson.
Kemble.	Turner.
Kennedy.	Van Zandt.
Kincaid.	Veatch.
King of Hopkins.	Waddell.
King of	Wallace
Throckmorton.	of Freestone.
Kirkland.	Wallace of Panola.
Land.	Wallace of Smith.
Lewis.	Wassell.
Loftin.	Webb.
	Whitaker.
Loy.	Williams
Masterson.	Williams
Minor.	of Sabine.
Moursund.	Williams
Murphy.	of Travis.
Nabors.	Williamson.
Nicholson.	Young.
Olsen.	
	vs—1.

Walker.

Present-Not Voting.

Boon.

Woodall.

Absent.

Anderson.	Holland.
Barnett.	Jacks.
Beck.	Kayton.
Bonham.	Kenyon.
Cox.	Kirby.
Denman.	Lipscomb.
Duvall.	Long.
Finlay.	McCombs
Graves.	McGill.

Merritt. Montgomery. Morse.

Satterwhite. Smith of El Paso. Parrish of Travis. Smith of Smith. Sutton.

Pool. Porter. Purl. Reagan.

Ware. Wells. Woodruff.

Rowell.

Renfro of Mills.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Foster. Fuchs. Gates.

Hornaday. Kinnear. McKean.

Smith of Atascosa.

BILLS ORDERED NOT PRINTED.

On motion of Mr. Wells, House bill No. 119 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Shearer, Senate bill No. 47 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Shirley, House bill No. 137 was ordered not printed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 117 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Murphy, by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 117, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2355 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, as adopted in 1925, so as to provide for filling vacancies in the office of county superintendent of public instruction."

.. The Speaker laid the bill before the House, it was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 117 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Murphy moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 117 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-103.

Mr. Speaker. Black. Acker. Boggs. Anderson. Boon. Barron. Branch. Bateman. Brice. Beck. Conway.

Cornwell. Murphy. Cummings. Nabors. Daniel. Nicholson. Parish of Runnels. Davis. DeBerry. Pavlica. Dielmann. Pearce. Enderby. Petsch. Eickenroht. Poage. Farrar. Pope. Powell. Faulk. Fly. Rawlins. Rogers of Hays. Forbes. Gibson. Rogers of Shelby. Gilbert. Runge. Graves. Sanders. Gray. Shaver. Hagaman. Shearer. Hall. Sheats. Harding. Shirley. Harman. Simmons. Hefley. Sinks. High. Smith of Nueces. Hogg. Snelgrove. Holder. Stell. Holland. Stevenson. Johnson Storey. of Anderson. Stout. Johnson Swain. of Dimmit. Taylor. Jones. Teer. Justice. Tillotson. Keeton. Turner. Kemble. Van Zandt. Veatch. Kennedy. Kincaid. Waddell. King of Hopkins. Walker. King of Wallace of Panola. Wallace of Smith. Throckmorton. Kirkland. Ware. Land. Webb. Wells. Lewis. Lipscomb. Whitaker. Loftin. Williams Masterson. of Sabine. Williams McCombs. McGill. of Travis.

Nays-3.

Albritton. Olsen.

Moursund.

Minor. Montgomery.

> Renfro of Angelina.

Williamson.

Woodall.

Young.

Absent.

Alexander. Avis. Barnett. Bass. Bird. Bonham. Brown. Cox. Denman.

Duvall. Finlay. Jacks. Kayton. Kenyon. Kirby. Long. Loy. Merritt.

Morse. Parrish of Travis. Pool. Porter.

Smith of El Paso. Smith of Smith. Smyth. Sutton.

Purl. Reagan. Renfro of Mills.

Wallace of Freestone. Wassell.

Rowell. Satterwhite.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Foster. Fuchs.

Gates.

Hornaday. Kinnear. McKean.

Woodruff.

Smith of Atascosa.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 117 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-106.

Mr. Speaker. Justice. Acker. Keeton. Albritton. Anderson. Barron. Bass. Bateman. Beck. Black. Boggs. Boon. Branch. Brice. Conway. Cornwell. Cummings. Daniel. Davis. DeBerry. Dielmann. Enderby. Murphy. Eickenroht. Nabors. Farrar. Nicholson. Faulk. Forbes. Gibson. Gilbert. Graves. Gray. Hagaman. Hall. Harding. Hefley. Renfro High. Hogg. Holder. Holland. Johnson of Anderson. Johnson of Dimmit.

Jones.

Kemble. Kennedy. Kincaid. King of Hopkins. King of Throckmorton. Kirkland. Land. Lewis. Lipscomb. Loftin. Masterson. McCombs. McGill. Merritt. Minor. Montgomery. Moursund.

Olsen. Parish of Runnels. Pavlica. Pearce. Petsch. Poage. Pope. Powell. Rawlins.

of Angelina. Rogers of Hays. Rogers of Shelby. Runge.

Sanders. Satterwhite. Shaver. Shearer Sheats.

Shirley. Waddell. Simmons. Walker. Sinks. Wallace of Panola. Smith of Nueces. Wallace of Smith.

Smyth. Ware. Snelgrove. Webb. Stell. Wells. Stevenson. Whitaker. Storey. Williams Stout. of Sabine. Williams Swain. Taylor. Teer. of Travis, Williamson. Tillotson. Woodall. Turner. Young.

Veatch.

Nays-1.

Van Zandt.

Absent.

Loy. Alexander. Morse. Avis. Barnett. Parrish of Travis. Bird. Pool. Porter. Bonham. Purl. Brown. Cox. Reagan. Renfro of Mills. Denman. Duvall. Rowell. Smith of El Paso. Finlay. Fly. Smith of Smith. Sutton. Harman. Wallace Jacks. of Freestone. Kayton. Wassell. Kenyon. Woodruff. Kirby. Long.

Absent—Excused.

Hornaday. Dunlap. Foster. Kinnear. McKean. Fuchs. Smith of Atascosa. Gates.

SENATE BILL NO. 101 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 101, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 8229, 8236 and 8238, in Chapter 9, Title 128, Revised Civil Statutes, so as to authorize navigation districts containing municipalities of 100,000 population or more, to issue its obligation to extent of not exceeding \$250,000," etc.

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Holland offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 101, on page 2, line 10, by striking out all after the word "enumerated" down to and including the words "per annum" in line 16, and add the word "and" before the word "for" in the said line 16.

Amend Senate bill No. 101 in the caption by striking out in line 4 after the word "population" all down to and including the words "such year" in line 15.

The amendments were severally adopted.

Senate bill No. 101 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 101 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Holland moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate bill No. 101 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-105.

Mr. Speaker.	Johnson
Acker.	of Anderson.
Anderson.	Johnson
Barnett.	of Dimmit.
Barron.	Jones.
Bass.	Justice.
Bateman.	Keeton.
Beck.	Kemble.
Bird.	Kennedy.
Black.	Kincaid.
Boggs.	King of Hopkins.
Boon.	King of
Branch.	Throckmorton.
Brice.	Kirkland.
Brown.	Land.
Conway.	Lewis.
Cornwell.	Lipscomb.
Cummings.	Masterson.
Davis.	McGill.
DeBerry.	Merritt.
Dielmann.	Minor.
Duvall.	Montgomery.
Eickenroht.	Moursund.
Farrar.	Murphy.
Faulk.	Nabors.
Fly.	Nicholson.
Forbes.	Parish of Runnels.
Gilbert.	Pavlica.
Graves.	Pearce.
Gray.	Petsch.
Hall.	Poage.
Harman.	Pope.
Hefley.	Porter.
High.	Powell.
Hogg.	Rawlins.
Holder.	Rogers of Hays.
Holland.	Rogers of Shelby.

Runge. Veatch. Sanders. Waddell. Satterwhite. Walker. Shaver. Wallace of Freestone. Shearer. Wallace of Panola. Sheats. Wallace of Smith. Shirley. Simmons. Ware. Wassell. Sinks. Smith of Nueces. Webb. Wells. Smyth. Stell. Whitaker. Stevenson. Williams Stout. of Sabine. Taylor. Williams Teer. of Travis. Tillotson. Williamson. Turner. Woodall. Young. Van Zandt.

Nays-3.

Albritton. Olsen. Renfro of Angelina.

Absent.

Loy. McCombs. Alexander. Avis. Bonham. Morse. Parrish of Travis. Cox. Pool. Daniel. Purl. Denman... Enderby. Reagan. Renfro of Mills. Finlay. Rowell. Gibson. Smith of El Paso. Hagaman. Smith of Smith. Harding. Jacks. Snelgrove. Storey. Kayton. Kenyon. Sutton. Swain. Kirby. Woodruff. Loftin. Long.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Hornaday.
Foster. Kinnear.
Fuchs. McKean.
Gates. Smith of Atascosa.

The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 101 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-102.

Black. Mr. Speaker. Acker. Boggs. Albritton. Boon. Barnett. Branch. Brice. Barron. Bass. Conway. Cornwell. Bateman. Beck. Cummings. Davis. Bird.

Pope. DeBerry. Dielmann. Porter. Duvall. Powell. Enderby. Rawlins. Faulk. Renfro Fly. of Angelina. Forbes. Rogers of Hays. Gilbert. Rogers of Shelby. Graves. Runge. Sanders. Grav. Satterwhite. Hagaman. Hall. Shaver. Shearer. Hefley. High. Sheats. Hogg. Holder. Shirley. Simmons. Sinks. Holland. Smith of Nueces. Johnson of Dimmit. Smyth. Jones. Stevenson. Justice. Storey. Taylor. Keeton. Kemble. Teer. Tillotson. Kennedy. Kincaid. Turner. King of Hopkins. Van Zandt. Veatch. King of Throckmorton. Waddell. Kirkland. Walker. Wallace Land. Lewis. of Freestone. Wallace of Panola. Masterson. McGill. Wallace of Smith. Merritt. Ware. Wassell. Minor. Montgomery. Webb. Wells. Moursund. Whitaker. Murphy. Williams Nabors. Nicholson. of Sabine. Williams Olsen. Parish of Runnels. of Travis.

Present-Not Voting.

Farrar.

Pavlica.

Pearce.

Petsch.

Poage.

Stell.

Williamson.

Woodall.

Young.

Absent.

Kirby. Alexander. Lipscomb. Anderson. Avis. Loftin. Bonham. Long. Loy. McCombs. Brown. Cox. Morse. Daniel. Parrish of Travis. Denman. Eickenroht. Pool. Purl. Finlay. Reagan. Gibson. Renfro of Mills. Harding. Rowell. Harman. Smith of El Paso. Jacks. Smith of Smith. Kayton. Kenyon. Snelgrove.

Stout. Sutton. Swain. Woodruff.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Johnson Foster. of Anderson. Kinnear. Fuchs. Gates. McKean. Hornaday. Smith of Atascosa.

HOUSE BILL NO. 119 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Wells, by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and pas-

sage to engrossment,
H. B. No. 119, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 16 of the General Laws passed by the Thirty-ninth Legislature, First Called Session, being Senate bill No. 287, and providing that road districts may be created and road bonds thereof issued in counties having outstanding road bonds, and declaring an emergency.

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, it was read second time, and

was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 119 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Wells moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 119 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the follow-

ing vote:

Yeas-102.

Mr. Speaker. Eickenroht. Acker. Farrar. Faulk. Anderson. Finlay. Barnett. Barron. Fly. Bass. Forbes. Bateman. Gibson. Harman. Beck. Bird. High. Hogg. Holder. Black. Bonham. Holland. Boon. Branch. Johnson of Anderson. Brice. Johnson Brown. of Dimmit. Conway Cornwell. Jones. Justice. Cummings. Keeton. Davis. Kennedy. DeBerry. Kincaid. Dielmann.

King of Hopkins. Duvall.

Kirkland. Shirley. Land. Simmons. Lewis. Sinks. Smith of Nueces. Lipscomb. Smyth. Loftin. Snelgrove. Masterson. McCombs. Stell. McGill. Stevenson. Storey. Minor. Montgomery. Swain. Taylor. Moursund. Teer. Murphy. Tillotson. Nabors. Turner. Nicholson. Parish of Runnels. Veatch. Waddell. Pavlica. Wallace of Smith. Pearce. Ware. Petsch. Wassell. Poage. Webb. Pope. Porter. Wells. Whitaker. Powell. Rawlins. Williams Rogers of Hays. of Sabine. Rogers of Shelby. Williams Sanders. of Travis. Williamson. Satterwhite. Woodall. Shaver.

Nays-10.

Young.

Albritton.
Boggs.
Enderby.
Gilbert.
Hall.
King of
Throckmorton.

Merritt.
Renfro
of Angelina.
Walker.
Wallace
of Freestone.

Shearer. Sheats.

Absent.

Alexander. Morse. Avis. Olsen. Cox. Parrish of Travis. Pool. Daniel. Purl. Denman. Graves. Reagan. Renfro of Mills. Gray. Hagaman. Rowell. Harding. Runge. Smith of El Paso. Hefley. Jacks. Smith of Smith. Kayton. Stout. Kemble. Sutton. Van Zandt. Kenyon. Wallace of Panola. Kirby. Woodruff. Long. Loy.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Hornaday.
Foster. Kinnear.
Fuchs. McKean.
Gates. Smith of Atascosa.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 119 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 100 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Montgomery, by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 100, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2547, Chapter 2, Title 47, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 and amendments thereto, which article provides for the execution of bonds for securing county deposits; providing for the manner in which such deposits may be secured and the amount of such bonds; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, particularly Chapter 129 of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Fortieth Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House and it was read second time.

Mr. Montgomery offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 100, page 1, line 26, by striking out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight," and inserting in line 30, between the word "bond" and the semicolon the words: "five of which sureties shall not be officers or stockholders of said depository."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Montgomery offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 100, page 2, by striking out all in line 6 after the word "Texas" and all of lines 7 to 17, inclusive, and the words "this State" in line 18.

The amendment was adopted.

House bill No. 100 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 100 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Montgomery moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 100 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-103.

Mr. Speaker. Barron.
Acker. Bass.
Anderson. Bateman.
Barnett. Bird.

Black.	McGill.
Boggs.	Minor.
Bonham.	Montgomery.
Boon.	Moursund.
Branch.	Murphy.
Brice.	Nabors.
Brown.	Parish of Runnels.
Conway.	Pavlica.
Cornwell.	Pearce.
Cummings.	Petsch.
DeBerry.	
Dielmann.	Poage.
Duvall.	Porter. Powell.
Enderby.	Purl.
Eickenroht.	
Elckenront.	Rawlins.
Farrar.	Rogers of Hays.
Faulk.	Rogers of Shelby.
Finlay.	Rowell.
Fly,	Sanders.
Forbes.	Shaver.
Foster.	Shearer.
Gibson.	Sheats.
Gray.	Shirley.
Hall.	Simmons.
Harding.	Sinks.
Harman.	Smith of Nueces.
Hefley.	Smyth.
High.	Snelgrove.
Hogg.	Stell.
Holder.	Stevenson.
Holland.	Swain.
Johnson	Taylor.
of Anderson.	Teer.
Johnson	Tillotson.
of Dimmit.	Turner.
Jones.	Van Zandt.
Justice.	Veatch.
Keeton.	Waddell.
Kennedy.	Wallace of Smith.
Kincaid.	Ware.
King of Hopkins.	Wassell.
King of	Webb.
Throckmorton.	Whitaker.
Kirkland.	Williams
Lewis.	of Sabine.
Lipscomb.	Williams
Loftin.	of Travis.
Loy.	Williamson.
Masterson.	Woodall.
McCombs.	Young.
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Albritton.	Renfro
Hagaman.	of Angelina.
Land.	Walker.
Olsen	

Present-Not Voting.

Stout.

Absent.

Alexander,	Denman.
Avis.	Gilbert.
Beck.	Graves.
Cox.	Jacks.
Daniel.	Kayton.
Davis.	Kemble.

Kenyon.	Runge.
Visher	Runge.
Kirby.	Satterwhite.
Long.	Smith of El Paso.
Merritt.	Smith of Smith.
Morse.	Storey.
Nicholson.	Sutton.
Parrish of Travis.	Wallace
Pool.	of Freestone.
Pope.	Wallace of Panola.
Reagan.	Wells.
Renfro of Mills.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Dunlap.	Kinnear,
Fuchs.	McKean.
Gates.	Smith of Atascosa.
Hornaday.	

The Speaker then laid House bill No 100 before the House on its third read ing and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the fallowing past.

passed by the following vote:

Mr. Speaker. Albritton. Albritton. Anderson. Barnett. Barron. Bass. Bateman. Bird. Boon. Branch. Brice. Brown. Conway. Cornwell. Cummings. Davis. DeBerry. Dielmann. Duvall. Eickenroht. Farrar. Faulk. Farrar. Faulk. Farrar. Faulk. Forbes. Forbes. Forbes. Forbes. Foster. Fowell. Renfro of Angelina. Rogers of Hays. Rogers of Shelby. Rowell. Hogg. Sanders. Holder. Holland. Shearer.	Yeas105.		
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Holder. Shaver.	Cummings. Davis. DeBerry. Dielmann. Duvall. Enderby. Eickenroht. Farrar. Faulk. Finlay. Fly. Forbes. Foster. Gibson. Gray. Hall. Harding. Harman. Hefley.	Merritt. Montgomery. Moursund. Murphy. Nabors. Olsen. Parish of Runnels. Pavlica. Pearce. Poage. Pope. Porter. Powell. Purl. Rawlins. Renfro of Angelina. Rogers of Hays. Rogers of Shelby. Rowell.	
	Holder.	Shaver.	

Sheats. Van Zandt. Shirley. Veatch. Simmons. Waddell. Wallace of Smith. Sinks. Ware. Smith of Nueces. Wassell. Smyth. Snelgrove. Webb. Stell. Whitaker. Stevenson. Williams Swain. of Sabine. Taylor. Williamson. Teer. Woodall. Tillotson. Young. Turner.

Nays-3.

Land. Walker. Williams of Travis.

Absent.

Alexander. Nicholson. Parrish of Travis. Avis. Beck. Petsch. Pool. Cox. Daniel. Reagan. Denman. Renfro of Mills. Gilbert. Runge. Graves. Satterwhite. Smith of El Paso. Smith of Smith. Hagaman. Jacks. Johnson Storey. of Anderson. Stout. Kemble. Sutton. Kennedy. Wallace Kenyon. of Freestone. Wallace of Panola. Kirby. Long. Wells. Woodruff. Minor. Morse.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Kinnear. Fuchs. McKean. Gates. Smith of Atascosa.

Hornaday.

BILL SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof and its caption had been read, the following enrolled bill:

S. B. No. 57, "An Act amending Article 5347 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 so as to make proper disposition of certain funds mentioned therein and particularly certain funds that under present laws go to the game law, etc., and declaring an emergency."

HOUSE BILL NO. 87 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and

have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 87, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 1434 of the Penal Code by providing for the transfer of the certified copy of the tax collector's receipt issuing a general dealer's distinguishing number in lieu of the tax collector's receipt for the license fee issued for the current year."

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 87 before the House, it was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 87 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Williamson moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 87 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-102.

Mr. Speaker. Johnson of Dimmit. Acker. Anderson. Justice. Keeton. Barnett. Barron. Kennedy. Bass. Kincaid. King of Hopkins. Kirkland. Bateman. Bird. Black. Land. Lewis. Boggs. Boon. Lipscomb. Branch. Loftin. Loy. Brice. Masterson. Brown. McCombs. Conway Cornwell. McGill. Cummings. Merritt. DeBerry. Minor. Moursund. Dielmann. Duvall. Murphy. Enderby. Nabors. Parish of Runnels. Farrar. Pavlica. Faulk. Finlay. Pearce. Fly. Petsch. Forbes. Poage. Pope. Foster. Gibson. Powell. Purl. Gray. Hagaman. Rawlins. Rogers of Hays. Hall. Rogers of Shelby. Harding. Harman. Rowell. Runge. Hefley. High. Sanders. Shaver. Hogg. Holder. Shearer. Sheats. Holland. Shirley. Johnson

Simmons.

of Anderson.

Waddell. Sinks. Wallace of Smith. Smith of Nueces. Smyth. Ware. Wassell. Stell. Stevenson. Webb. Whitaker. Storey. Williams Stout. of Sabine. Swain. Taylor. Williams Teer. of Travis. Tillotson. Williamson. Woodall. Turner. Young. Van Zandt.

Nays-5.

Albritton. Renfro
King of of Angelina.
Throckmorton. Walker.

Absent.

Alexander. Morse. Nicholson. Parrish of Travis. Avis. Beck. Pool. Bonham. Porter. Cox. Reagan. Daniel. Renfro of Mills. Davis. Satterwhite. Denman. Smith of El Paso. Eickenroht. Smith of Smith. Gilbert. Snelgrove. Graves. Jacks. Sutton. Veatch. Jones Wallace Kayton. of Freestone. Kemble. Wallace of Panola. Kenyon. Wells. Kirby. Woodruff. Long. Montgomery.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Kinnear. Fuchs. McKean. Gates. Smith of Atascosa. Hornaday.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 87 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-103.

Boon. Mr. Speaker. Branch. Acker. Albritton. Brice. Conway. Anderson. Cornwell. Barnett. Cummings. Barron. Bass. Davis. DeBerry. Bateman. Bird. Dielmann. Duvall. Black. Enderby. Boggs. Farrar. Bonham.

Faulk. Petsch. Pope. Rawlins. Finlay. Fly. Forbes. Renfro Foster. of Angelina. Rogers of Hays. Gibson. Rogers of Shelby. Gray. Rowell. Hagaman. Hall. Runge. Sanders. Harding. Shaver. Hefley. Shearer. High. Hogg. Holder. Sheats. Shirley. Holland. Simmons. Sinks. Johnson of Anderson. Smith of Nueces. Johnson Smyth. of Dimmit. Snelgrove. Justice. Stell. Stevenson. Kayton. Storey. Keeton. Stout. Kennedy. Taylor. Kincaid. King of Hopkins. Tillotson. Turner. Kirkland. Van Zandt. Land. Veatch. Lewis. Waddell. Lipscomb. Wallace of Panola. Loftin. Wallace of Smith. Loy. Masterson. Ware. McCombs. Webb. Whitaker. McGill. Williams Minor. of Sabine. Moursund. Williams Murphy. of Travis. Nabors. Williamson. Olsen. Parish of Runnels. Woodall. Young. Pavlica. Pearce.

Nays-2.

King of Walker.
Throckmorton.

Absent.

Alexander. Montgomery. Morse. Avis. Nicholson. Beck. Parrish of Travis. Brown. Poage. Cox. Pool. Daniel. Porter. Denman. Powell. Eickenroht. Purl. Gilbert. Reagan. Graves. Renfro of Mills. Harman. Satterwhite. Smith of El Paso. Jacks. Jones. Smith of Smith. Kemble. Sutton. Kenyon. Swain. Kirby. Teer. Long. Merritt.

Wallace We of Freestone. Wo Wassell.

Wells. Woodruff.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Fuchs.

Kinnear. McKean.

Gates. Hornaday. Smith of Atascosa.

HOUSE BILL NO. 137 ON SECOND READING.

Mr. Shirley moved that the regular order of business be suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 137, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to certain independent school districts in Collin county."

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-85.

Mr. Speaker. Barnett. Bass. Bateman. Black. Boggs. Masterson.
McGill.
Merritt.
Minor.
Nabors.
Parish of Runnels.

Branch.
Brice.
Brown.
Conway.
Cornwell.
Cummings.
Davis.

Pavlica.
Powell.
Purl.
Rawlins.
Renfro
of Angelina.
Rogers of Hays.
Rogers of Shelby.

Rowell.

DeBerry.
Dielmann.
Duvall.
Enderby.
Faulk.
Finlay.

Forbes.

Foster.

Runge. Satterwhite. Shaver. Shearer. Sheats. Shirley.

Gibson. Graves. Gray. Hagaman. Simmons.
Sinks.
Smith of Nueces.
Smyth.

Hagaman. Hall. Harding. Harman. Hogg. Holder.

Snelgrove. Stell. Stevenson. Storey. Stout. Swain. Taylor.

of Dimmit.
Jones.
Kayton.
Keeton.
Kincaid.

Johnson

Teer. Tillotson. Van Zandt. Veatch. Wallace

of Freestone.

King of Hopkins. Kirkland. Land. Lewis.

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Loftin. Loy. Ware. Webb. Williams of Sabine.

Williams of Travis. Woodall.

Nays-20.

Albritton.
Boon.
Farrar.
Fly.
Hefley.
High.
Kennedy.
King of

Murphy.
Olsen.
Pearce.
Poage.
Pope.
Sanders.
Turner.
Walker.

Throckmorton. McCombs. Whitaker. Young.

Moursund.

Present-Not Voting.

Bird.

Justice.

Absent.

Acker.
Alexander.
Anderson.
Avis.
Barron.
Beck.

Long.
Montgomery.
Morse.
Nicholson.
Parrish of Travis.

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Denman.
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Gilbert.
Holland.
Smith of El Paso.
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Jacks. Waddell.
Johnson Wassell.
of Anderson. Wells.
Kemble. Williamson.
Kenyon. Woodruff.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Fuchs. Gates. Hornaday. Kinnear. McKean.

Smith of Atascosa,

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 137 before the House on its second reading and passage to engrossment.

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Swain raised a point of order on further consideration of the bill on the ground that the subject matter contained in the bill has not been submitted by the Governor.

The Speaker overruled the point of

order.

(Mr. Storey in the chair.)

Mr. Pearce offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 137, page 1, line 16, by striking out the words "twenty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five."

Mr. Bateman moved to table the amendment, and the motion to table was

(Speaker in the chair.)

Mr. Fly raised a point of order on further consideration of the bill on the ground that it violates certain provisions of the Constitution.

The Speaker declined to rule on the point of order, stating that he would submit the matter to the House for its decision.

Mr. Purl moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Yeas and nays were demanded, and the motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-58.

Mr. Speaker. Minor. Acker. Montgomery. Barnett. Nabors. Barron. Olsen. Bass. Parish of Runnels. Bateman. Pavlica. Boon. Poage. Brice. Pool. Brown. Pope. Cummings. Purl. Daniel. Renfro Dielmann. of Angelina. Faulk. Rogers of Hays. Finlay. Rowell. Gray. Runge. Hefley. Shaver. Hogg. Shearer. Holland. Shirley. Johnson Simmons. of Dimmit. Smith of Smith. Justice. Smyth. Kayton. Stevenson. Keeton. Swain. Tillotson. Kennedy. Kincaid. Turner. King of Throckmorton. Wallace of Freestone. Kirkland. Wassell. Loftin. Whitaker. McGill. Young.

Nays-55.

Albritton. Enderby. Alexander. Farrar. Anderson. Forbes. Avis. Foster. Beck. Gibson. Bird. Gilbert. Black. Graves. Boggs. Hagaman. Harding. Branch. Conway. Harman. High. Cornwell. Davis.

King of Hopkins. DeBerry. Land.

Lewis. Smith of Nueces. Lipscomb. Snelgrove. Loy. Stell. Masterson. Taylor. McCombs. Van Zandt. Moursund. Veatch. Murphy. Waddell. Nicholson. Walker. Pearce. Wallace of Smith. Reagan. Ware. Renfro of Mills.

Webb. Wells. Rogers of Shelby. Sanders. Williams Satterwhite. of Sabine. Sheats. Woodall. Sinks.

Present-Not Voting.

Stout.

Absent.

Bonham. Parrish of Travis. Cox. Petsch. Porter. Denman. Duvall. Powell. Eickenroht. Rawlins. Smith of El Paso. Fly. Hall. Storey. Holder. Sutton. Teer. Jacks. Kemble. Wallace of Panola. Kenyon. Williams Kirby. of Travis. Williamson. Long. Merritt. Woodruff.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Jones. Fuchs. Kinnear. Gates. McKean. Smith of Atascosa. Hornaday.

Johnson of Anderson.

Morse.

SENATE BILL NO. 47 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 43, A bill to be entitled "An Act to better protect and promote the health of the people of Texas; establishing the State Department of Health, to consist of a State Board of Health, appointed by the Governor, a State Health Officer, appointed by the State Board of Health; fixing the term of office of the members of the State Board of Health, and their qualifications, compensation, powers and duties; fixing the term of office of the State Health Officer, his compensation, powers and duties; providing for a chief clerk of the Department of Health, his compensation and duties; providing for the

appointment of an Acting State Health Officer, and his qualifications, powers and duties; authorizing the State Department of Health to accept donations and contributions to be expended in the interest of public health and the en-forcement of public health laws, and the commissioners court of any county to appropriate and expend money from the general revenue of its county in behalf of public health and sanitation within its county; repealing Articles 4414 to 4418, both inclusive, and Article 4465, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, and providing that the powers and duties vested by Chapter 3 of Title 71, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, in the Director of Food and Drug Division of the State Department of Health shall be hereafter vested in the State Health Officer and shall be exercised by him or a division director in his department, subject to his control, and repealing Chapter 45 of the General Laws of the Thirty-third Legislature of 1913, First Called Session; and providing that all other laws or parts of laws now in force, relating to the State Department of Health, State Board of Health and State Health Officer, as well as all laws relating to public health, sanitation and the control and prevention of communicable, contagious and infectious diseases, shall remain in full force and effect, except in so far as same may be in conflict with the provisions of this act; and providing that if any particular section or part of this act shall be held unconstitutional or inoperative, such defect shall not affect any other section or part of this act, and declaring an emer-

On motion of Mr. Shearer, the House agreed to substitute Senate bill No. 47 for House bill No. 43.

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and pas-

sage to third reading, S. B. No. 47, A bill to be entitled "An Act to better protect and promote the health of the people of Texas; establishing the Department of Health, to consist of a State Board of Health, appointed by the Governor, a State Health Officer, appointed by the State Board of Health; fixing the term of office, etc., and declaring an emergency.'

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Shearer offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 47, Section 11, by striking out the following: "Chapter 45 of the General Laws, Thirty-third | Kirkland.

Legislature, 1913, First Called Session, entitled 'An Act requiring the State Health Department to disseminate information concerning the cause, nature and extent of communicable disease and requiring the exhibit throughout the State of a public health exhibit in a railway car, etc., is hereby repealed."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Shearer offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 47, line 3, of Section 2, by inserting after the word "Governor" the words: "And confirmed by the Senate."

The amendment was adopted.

Question recurring on the passage of the bill to third reading, yeas and nays were demanded.

Senate bill No. 47 was then passed to third reading by the following vote:

Yeas-82.

Mr. Speaker. Lewis. Lipscomb. Acker. Albritton. Masterson. Alexander. McCombs. McGill. Anderson. Merritt. Barron. Bass. Minor. Bateman. Nicholson. Olsen. Boggs. Parish of Runnels. Branch. Poage. Brown. Pope. Conway. Cornwell. Rawlins. Reagan. Cox. Renfro of Mills. Daniel. Dielmann. Rogers of Hays. Duvall. Rogers of Shelby. Runge. Enderby. Satterwhite. Farrar. Finlay. Shearer. Fly. Sheats. Simmons. Forbes. Foster. Sinks. Smith of Nueces. Gilbert. Smith of Smith. Graves. Smyth. Gray. Hagaman. Snelgrove. Storey. Harding. Stout. Harman. Heffey. Taylor. Teer. High. Tillotson. Hogg. Turner. Jacks. Van Zandt. Johnson Veatch. of Anderson. Wallace Johnson of Dimmit. of Freestone. Wallace of Panola. Kayton. Wallace of Smith. Keeton. Ware. Kincaid. Wassell. King of Hopkins.

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Williams	of Travis.	Conway.	Petsch.
of Sabine.		Cornwell.	Poage.
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		Daniel.	Pope.
Avis.	Loftin.	Dielmann.	Powell.
Barnett.	Murphy.	Duvall.	Rawlins,
Bird.	Nabors.	Enderby.	Reagan.
Black.	Pavlica.	Farrar.	Renfro of Mills.
Brice.	Pearce.	Finlay.	Rogers of Hays.
Boon.	Renfro	Fly.	Rogers of Shelby.
Davis.	of Angelina.	Forbes.	Runge.
Faulk.	Sanders.	Foster.	Satterwhite.
Justice.	Swain.	Gibson.	Shearer.
Kennedy.	Walker.	Gilbert.	Sheats.
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Beck.	Parrish of Travis.	Hogg.	Stout.
Bonham.	Petsch.	Holland.	Taylor.
Cummings.	Pool.	Jacks. Johnson	Teer.
DeBerry.	Porter.	of Anderson.	Tillotson.
Denman.	Powell.	Johnson	Turner.
Eickenroht.	Purl.	of Dimmit.	Veatch.
Hall.	Rowell.	Jones.	Wallace of Freestone.
Holder.	Shaver.	Kayton.	Wallace of Panola.
Holland.	Shirley.	Keeton.	Wallace of Smith.
Jones.	Smith of El Paso.	Kincaid.	Wassell.
Kemble.	Stell.	King of Hopkins.	Webb.
Kenyon.	Stevenson.	Kirkland.	Wells.
Kirby.	Sutton.	Lewis,	Williams
Long.	Waddell.	Lipscomb.	of Sabine.
Loy.	Williamson.	Masterson.	Williams
Montgomery.	Woodruff.	McCombs.	of Travis.
Morse.	Young.	McGill.	Williamson.
Moursund.		Minor.	Young.
Absent-	-Excused.	Nicholson.	
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Gates.	Smith of Atascosa.	Avis.	Olsen.
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Mr. Shearer mov	ed that the constitu-	Davis.	of Angelina.
	ing bills to be read	Faulk.	Sanders.
	lys be suspended and	Justice.	Snelgrove.
		Kennedy.	Stell.
	No. 47 be placed on	King of	Swain.
its third reading a		Throckmorton.	Walker.
The motion was	lost (not receiving	Land.	Ware.
the necessary four	-fifths vote) by the	Loftin.	Whitaker.
following vote:	- 1	Merritt.	Woodall.
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Yea	s88.	Present-	Not Voting.
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Barnett.

Bonham.

DeBerry.

Cummings.

Absent.

Mr. Speaker. Bass.
Acker. Bateman.
Alexander. Beck.
Anderson. Boggs.
Barron. Branch.

Denman. Eickenroht. Moursund. Parrish of Travis. Porter.

Hall. Holder. Kemble. Kenyon.

Rowell. Shaver. Shirley.

Kirby. Long. Loy. Montgomery. Smith of El Paso. Sutton.

Van Zandt. Waddell. Woodruff.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Fuchs. Gates.

Morse.

Kinnear. McKean.

Smith of Atascosa.

Hornaday.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed

S. B. No. 54, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 5518 of the Revised Statutes of Texas of 1925, so as to limit the time within which a person under 21 years of age, or in the military service of the United States in time of war, or of unsound mind, or imprisoned, may institute suit for the recovery of real estate, and to add another article to be known as Article 5518a, etc., and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 62, A bill to be entitled "An Act to ratify and confirm the title of J. H. Cole and all other persons holding a claim of title from W. H. Walters in and to a tract of land in Nacogdoches county known as the W. H. Walters Labor of Land and containing 177 acres of land, and to disavow and relinquish the right, claim and title of the State of Texas in and to said land." Respectfully,

MORRIS C. HANKINS, Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL NO. 103 ON PASSAGE TO ENGROSSMENT.

The Speaker laid before the House, as postponed business, on its passage to engrossment, House bill No. 103, relating to method of removing county seats.

Mr. Satterwhite offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 103 by striking | shall be moved to the place receiving a

out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. Article 1595 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 is hereby amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Art. 1595. No county seat situated within five miles of the geographical center of any county shall be removed except by a vote of two-thirds of all the electors in said county voting on the subject; nor shall any county seat be removed from a point more than five miles from the geographical center of any county to any other point more than five miles from such center, nor from a point within five miles of the geographical center to any other point within five miles of such center, except by a twothirds vote of all the electors in said county voting on the subject. No person shall be allowed to vote except he be a bona fide citizen of the county in which he offers to vote. A majority of said electors, however, voting at such election may remove a county seat from a point more than five miles from the geographical center of the county to a point within five miles of such center; and in counties having a population of not less than 1300 nor more than 1400 according to the last United States census, a majority of said electors voting at such election may remove a county seat from a point more than five miles from the geographical center of the county to another point more than five miles from such center; in either event the center to be determined by a certificate from the Land Commissioner.

"Sec. 2. Article 1600 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 is hereby amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"'Art. 1600. When such entry has been made, the county seat, if the election be held to move the county seat from a point within five miles of the geographical center, to a point more or less than five miles from the geographical center, or from a point more than five miles from the geographical center, to any other point more than five miles from such center, shall be removed to the place receiving the votes of two-thirds of all the electors voting on the subject; and such place shall thereafter be the county seat of such county. If the election be held to move the county seat from a point more than five miles from the geographical center to a point within five miles of such center, then the county seat

majority of all the electors in the county voting at such election and such place shall thereafter be the county seat of such county. In counties having a population of not less than 1300 nor more than 1400 according to the last United States census, if the election be held to remove the county seat from a point more than five miles from the geographical center to another point more than five miles from such center, then the county seat shall be removed to the place receiving a majority of all the electors in the county voting at such election, and such place shall thereafter be the county seat of such county.

"Sec. 3. The importance of this act and the fact that the change in the statutes as herein provided should be made as soon as possible so as to permit the relocation of county seats to points nearer the center of population where the majority of citizens desires same located, and where the same will be more convenient and accessible to the majority of the citizens, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read upon three several days in each House be suspended, and said rule is hereby suspended and that this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Satterwhite offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 103 by striking out the caption and inserting in lieu

thereof the following:

"A bill to be entitled 'An Act amending Articles 1595 and 1600 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, so as to permit in counties having a population of not less than 1300 nor more than 1400 according to the last United States census, the removal, by a majority vote, of the county scat from any point in the county located more than five miles from the geographical center of the county to another point more than five miles from said geographical center of the county; enacting the necessary provisions in amending said articles necessary and incidental to said subject and purpose, and declaring an emergency."

The amendment was adopted. House bill No. 103 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 103 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Satterwhite moved that the con-

stitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended, and that House bill No. 103 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following

vote:

Yeas-105. Mr. Speaker. Lipscomb. Alexander. Loftin. Anderson. Loy. Avis. Masterson. Barnett. McCombs. Barron. McGill. Merritt. Bass. Beck. Murphy. Bird. Nabors. Black. Nicholson. Boggs. Parish of Runnels. Parrish of Travis. Boon. Pearce. Branch. Brice. Petsch. Brown. Poage. Conway. Pope. Cornwell. Porter. Daniel. Powell. Davis. Purl. DeBerry. Rawlins. Renfro of Mills. Denman. Rogers of Hays. Dielmann. Rogers of Shelby. Enderby. Eickenroht. Runge. Farrar. Sanders. Faulk. Satterwhite. Finlay. Shaver. Fly. Shearer. Forbes. Sheats. Foster. Sinks. Gibson. Smith of Nueces. Smith of Smith. Gilbert. Graves. Smyth. Gray. Snelgrove. Hagaman. Stell. Stevenson. Harding. Harman. Storey. Taylor. Hefley. Teer. High. Tillotson. Hogg. Van Zandt. Holder. Holland. Walker. Wallace Jacks. Johnson of Freestone. Wallace of Panola. of Anderson. Jones. Wallace of Smith. Ware.

Johnson
of Anderson.
Jones.
Justice.
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Kincaid.
King of Hopkins.

King of Throckmorton. Kirkland.

Land. Lewis.

Nays—5.

Albritton.

Johnson of Dimmit.

Wassell.

Whitaker.

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Olsen. Renfro of Angelina	Simmons.	
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Reagan. Stout.	Williams of Travis.	
	Absent.	
Acker.	Morse.	

Bateman. Moursund. Bonham. Pavlica. Pool. Cox. Rowell. Cummings. Shirley. Duvall. Smith of El Paso. Hall. Keeton. Sutton. Kemble. Swain. Kenyon. Turner. Kirby. Veatch. Long. Waddell. Minor. Webb. Montgomery. Woodruff.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Kinnear. Fuchs. McKean. Gates. Smith of Atascosa. Hornaday.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 103 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-108.

Mr. Speaker. Fly. Albritton. Forbes. Alexander. Foster. Anderson. Gilbert. Avis. Graves. Barnett. Gray. Barron. Hagaman. Hall. Bass. Beck. Harding. Bird. Harman. Black. Hefley. Hogg. Holder. Boggs. Boon. Branch. Holland. Brice. Jacks. Brown. Johnson of Anderson. Conway. Cornwell. Jones. Daniel. Justice. Davis. Kayton. Keeton. DeBerry. Denman. Kennedy. King of Hopkins. Dielmann. King of Throckmorton. Enderby. Eickenroht. Farrar. Land. Faulk: Lewis. Finlay. Lipscomb.

Loftin. Sinks. Loy. Smith of Nueces. Masterson. Smith of Smith. McCombs. Smyth. McGill. Snelgrove. Murphy. Stell. Nabors. Stevenson. Nicholson. Storey. Olsen. Swain. Parish of Runnels. Taylor. Teer. Parrish of Travis. Tillotson. Pearce. Petsch. Turner. Van Zandt. Poage. Walker. Pope. Porter. Wallace Powell. of Freestone. Wallace of Panola. Wallace of Smith. Purl. Rawlins. Renfro Ware. Wassell. of Angelina. Renfro of Mills. Rogers of Hays. Rogers of Shelby. Wells. Whitaker. Williams Runge. of Sabine. Williams Sanders. of Travis. Williamson. Satterwhite. Shaver. Woodall. Shearer. Young. Sheats.

Nays-2.

Kirkland.

Simmons.

Present-Not Voting.

Gibson. High. Reagan. Stout.

Absent.

Minor. Acker. Bateman. Montgomery. Morse. Bonham. Cox. Moursund. Pavlica. Cummings. Pool. Duvall. Rowell. Johnson Shirley. of Dimmit. Smith of El Paso. Kemble. Sutton. Kenyon. Veatch. Kincaid. Waddell. Kirby.

Absent-Excused.

Webb.

Woodruff.

Dunlap. Fuchs. Gates. Hornaday.

Long. Merritt.

> Kinnear. McKean.

Smith of Atascosa.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON HOUSE BILL NO. 3.

Mr. Teer, chairman, submitted the following conference committee report on House bill No. 3:

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate, and Hon. R. L. Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: Your Conference Committee, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses on

H. B. No. 3, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations to pay the salaries of officers and employes of certain eleemosynary institutions of the State, and other expenses of maintaining and conducting them for the two fiscal years, beginning September 1, 1927, and ending August 31, 1929, and declaring an emergency."

Have had the same under consideration and have adjusted the differences, and recommend the passage of the following substitute bill:

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 3.

A BILL

To Be Entitled

An Act making appropriations to pay the salaries of officers and employes of certain electrosynary institutions of the State, and other expenses of maintaining and conducting them for the two fiscal years, beginning September 1, 1927, and ending August 31, 1929, as follows, towit: Abilene State Hospital, Austin State School, Austin State Hospital, Pasteur Institute, Confederate Home, Confederate Woman's Home, Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute for Colored Youths, Girls' Training School, Home for Dependent and Neglected Children, State Hospital for Crippled and Deformed Children at Galveston, State Juvenile Training School, State Orphans Home, Rusk State Hospital, San Antonio State Hospital, Terrell State Hospital, State Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Wichita Falls State Hospital, and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the following sums of money, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same are hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the salaries of officers and employes and other expenses necessary for the support and maintenance of the eleemosynary institutions of the State from September 1, 1927, to August 31, 1929:

Abilene State Hospital.

	For the Ye	For the Years Ending		
	August 31, 1928	August 31, 1929		
Salaries of:				
Superintendent, with provisions for himself and				
family, not to exceed in value \$500.00 per annum, also water, light, fuel, laundry and housing	2,500.00	\$ 2,500.00		
Attendants, sixty, not to exceed \$50.00 per month, basis \$40.00 per month	28,800.00	28,800.00		
Butcher and baker	1,000.00	1,000.00		
Barber	720.00	720.00		
Carpenter	1,000.00	1,000.00		
Carpenter assistant	720.00	720.00		
Chaplain and teacher, full time	1,200.00	1,200.00		
Cooks, fifteen, basis \$50.00 per month	9,000.00	9,000.00		
Dentist	500.00	500.00		
Dietitian and stewardess	1,500.00	1,500.00		
Dining room girls, seven, basis \$30.00 per month.	2,100.00	2,100.00		
Druggist, registered	1,000.00	1,000.00		
Engineer, chief	1,600.00	1,600.00		
Engineer, first assistant	1,000.00	1,000.00		
Engineer, second assistant	900.00	900.00		

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	For the Yea	ars Ending
	August 31,	August 31,
	1928	1929
Engineer ise plant	720.00	101.000.000.000.000.000.000
Engineer, ice plant		720.00
Farm superintendent	1,200.00	1,200.00
Farm hands, two	960.00	960.00
Firemen, three	2,160.00	2,160.00
Gardener	900.00	900.00
Hall boy	480.00	480.00
Laundress, head	900.00	900.00
Laundress, assistant.	480.00	480.00
Laundry girls, seven, basis \$40.00 per month	3,360.00	3,360.00
Matron	720.00	720.00
Night watchman, outside	720.00	720.00
Nurses, skilled, three	2,700.00	2,700.00
Painter and plasterer	900.00	900.00
Park man.	600.00	600.00
Physician, first assistant, with board and laundry	0.000.00	0.000.00
for himself and family	2,000.00	2,000.00
Physician, second assistant, with board and laundry	1 000 00	7,000,00
for himself and family	1,800.00	1,800.00
Physician, third assistant, with board and laundry	1 000 00	
for himself and family	1,800.00	1,800.00
Seamstress, head	720.00	720.00
Seamstress, assistants, three	1,260.00	1,260.00
Scavenger	480.00	480.00
Shoemaker	900.00	900.00
Storekeeper and accountant, with board and laundry	3 000 00	1 000 00
for himself and family	1,200.00	1,200.00
Storekeeper, assistant	900.00	900.00
Supervisor, day	900.00	900.00
Supervisor, night	720.00	720.00
Supervisoress, day	900.00	900.00
Supervisoress, night	720.00	720.00
Tailor	600.00	600.00
Teacher, craft and arts	900.00	900.00
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Total salaries	86,140.00	\$ 86,140.00
Maintenance and Miscellaneous:		
Support and maintenance	149,250.00	\$ 154,250.00
Bridges, fences and grounds	2,000.00	2,000.00
Traveling expenses for superintendent, including	.,	
expenses to National and International Associa-		
tions for the study of epilepsy	1,500.00	300.00
stone for the seady of epitopoj	2,000.00	
Total	\$ 152,750.00	\$ 156,550.00
Repairs and Improvements:		
One new cottage for patients		\$ 50,000.00
Heating system	5,000.00	
General repairs	7,500.00	7,500.00
Officers' apartment equipped	30,000.00	
To change the distribution of current	10,000.00	02
Remodeling Administration building	5,000.00	
Special fund for treatment of acute cases	2,000.00	2,000.00
Total	\$ 59,500.00	\$ 59,500.00
Grand total	\$ 298,390.00	\$ 302,190.00
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Austin State School	•	
Salaries of:		
Superintendent, with provisions for himself and family not to exceed in value \$500 per annum,		*
with fuel, light, water, laundry and housing	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 2,500.00
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	For the Ye	nra	Ending
	August 31, 1928		August 31, 1929
Assistant physician	2,000.00		2,000.00
Assistant physician and pathologist	1,800.00		1,800.00
Attendants and night watches, none to exceed			2,000.00
\$50 per month, forty-two	22,680.00		22,680.00
Attendants, additional	1,000.00		2,500.00
Dining room girls	1,260.00		1,260.00
Barber	600.00		600.00
Chaplain	900.00		900.00
Chaplain Shoemaker	400.00 900.00		400.00
Cook, chief	720.00		900.00 720.00
Cooks, assistants, seven; one for Superintendent	3,660.00		3,660.00
Cooks, additional, two	0,000.00		1,080.00
Dairyman	900.00		900.00
Dentist, full time, with one meal; also assigned			
to Blind School and Deaf, Dumb and Blind In-			
stitute for Colored Youths	2,000.00		2,000.00
Dietitian and stewardess	1,500,00		1,500.00
Engineer, electrician, plumber and laundry man-	DV 2000 1902		121 (2015) W 1010
ager	1,500.00		1,500.00
Engineer, assistant	900.00		900.00
Farm hands, three	1,800.00		1,800.00
Firemen, two Gardener	1,440.00 720.00		1,440.00 720.00
Laundresses, four	1,680.00		1,680.00
Matron and supervisoress	900.00		900.00
Night watchman, outside	720.00		720.00
Nurses, trained, three	3,600.00		3,600.00
Psychiatrist	2,400.00		2,400.00
Seamstress	666.00		660.00
Stenographer and assistant bookkeeper	900.00		900.00
Storekeeper and accountant	1,200.00		1,200.00
Storekeeper, assistant	720.00		720.00
Farmer and outside supervisor	900.00		900.00
Supervisor Supervisoress Supervisoress	840.00		840.00
Instructional Staff:	010.00		040.00
Educational director	1,800.00		1,800.00
Grade teachers, two	2,160.00		2,160.00
Industrial teacher	1,080.00		1,080.00
Kindergarten	1,080.00		1,080.00
Teacher manual training	1,080.00		1,080.00
Teacher, music	1,080.00		1,080.00
Director, orchestra	1,080.00 1,080.00		1,080.00 1,080.00
Teacher, physical training	1,080.00		1,080.00
Teachers and supervisors for deaf and dumb	1,800.00		1,800.00
Additional teachers, five	5,400.00		5,400.00
Total salaries	83,320.00	\$	85,900.00
All officers and employes to receive board and laundry, unless otherwise specified.			
General Maintenance:			
Support and maintenance	115,000.00	\$	135,000.00
Surgeon, eye, ear, nose and throat	750.00	1970	750.00
Traveling expenses, Superintendent, spent with ap-			
proval Board of Control, and to be available			
for both years	600.00		
Total	116,350.00	\$	135,750.00

	For the Ye August 31, 1928		Ending august 31, 1929
Repairs and Improvements:			
Dormitory and equipment, two\$ Office building, equipped	50,000.00	\$	50,000.00 18,000.00
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Total\$		\$	68,000.00
Grand total\$	249,670.00	\$	289,650.00
Austin State Hospital.			
Salaries of:			
Superintendent, with provisions for himself and family, not to exceed in value \$500 per annum, together with water, light, laundry, fuel and			
housing\$	2,500.00	\$	2,500.00
Assistant physician with board and laundry for	2,000.00		2,000.00
himself and family	2,000.00		2,000.00
for themselves and families	5,400.00		5,400.00
Attendants, salary not to exceed \$50 per month,			
one hundred	48,600.00		48,600.00
Attendants, tuberculosis cottage, four	2,640.00		2,640.00
basis \$40 per month, twenty	9,600.00		9,600.00
Baker	900.00		900.00
Baker, assistants, two	960.00		960.00
Barbers, two	1,200.00		1,200.00
Blacksmith	720.00		720.00
Butcher and ice man	720.00		720.00
Carpenters, two	1,800.00		1,800.00
Charlein	480.00 400.00		480.00 400.00
Chaplain Olerk	600.00		600.00
Clerk, clothing	480.00		480.00
Cook, chief	900.00		900.00
Cook, assistants, two	1,200.00		1,200.00
Cooks, one for Superintendent, thirteen	6,240.00		6,240.00
Cooks, two for tuberculosis cottage	960.00		960.00
Dining room girls, twenty	6,900.00		6,900.00
Dentist, full time	1,600.00 1,200.00		1,600.00 1,200.00
Druggist, registered	1,200.00		1,200.00
Engineer, chief	1,500.00		1,500.00
Engineer, first assistant	1,000.00		1,000.00
Engineer, second assistant	720.00		720.00
Engineer, third assistant	720.00		720.00
Engineer, fourth assistant	720.00		720.00
Firemen, three	2,160.00 $1,440.00$		2,160.00 1,440.00
Gardener	900.00		900.00
Ice man	600.00		600.00
Laundryman, head	900.00		900.00
Laundrymen, assistants, two	1,200.00		1,200.00
Hall boy	600.00		600.00
Laundresses, fourteen, basis \$35 per month	5,880.00		5,880.00
Librarian	600.00		600.00 720.00
Matron	720.00 600.00		600.00
Nurses, two for tuberculosis cottage	1,320.00		1,320.00
Nurse for female hospital	720.00		720.00
Nurses, trained, three	3,600.00		3,600.00
Night watchmen, outside, two	1,440.00		1,440.00
Park man	600.00		600.00

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	For the Yea August 31,	rs Ending August 31,
	1928	1929
Plasterer	720.00	720.00
Painter	720.00	720.00
Shoemaker	900.00	900.00
Seamstress, head	720.00	720.00
Seamstresses, five	3,000.00	3,000.00
Stenographer and record clerk	1,000.00	1,000.00
Storekeeper and accountant, with board and laun-		-
dry for himself and family	1,200.00	1,200.00
Storekeeper and accountant, assistant	900.00	900.00
Storekeeper, assistant and stenographer	720.00	720.00
Supervisor	900.00	900.00
Supervisor, assistant	720.00	720.00
Supervisor, night	720.00	720.00
Supervisoress	900.00	900.00
Supervisoress, assistant	720.00	720.00
Supervisoress, night	720.00	720.00
Supervisor, outside	900.00	900.00
Tailor	600.00	600.00
Teacher, arts and crafts	1,200.00	1,200.00
Teachers, arts and crafts, assistants, two	1,800.00 720.00	1,800.00 720.00
Telephone operator	600.00	600.00
Attendants, reserve, basis \$40 per month	2,000.00	2,000.00
Pathologist	1,800.00	1,800.00
Tachologist	1,000.00	1,000.00
Total salaries	\$ 151,320.00	\$ 151,320.00
General Maintenance:		
Traveling expenses of Superintendent	300.00	\$ 300.00
Support and maintenance	248,500.00	248,500.00
Total	\$ 248,800.00	\$ 248,800.00
Repairs and Improvements:		
General repairs	35,000.00	\$ 35,000.00
New convalescent building	50,000.00	
Total	\$ 85,000.00	\$ 35,000.00
Grand total	the contract of the contract o	\$ 435,120.00
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Pasteur Institute.		
Physician	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00
Assistant physician	2,000.00	2,000.00
Attendant	700.00	700.00
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Total	\$ 5,700.00	\$ 5,700.00
Maintenance:		
Support and maintenance	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,200.00
Repairs	400.00	400.00

Total	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 1,600.00
Grand total		\$ 7,300.00
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Confederate Home.		
Salaries of:		
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Superintendent, with provisions for himself and		
family, not to exceed \$500.00 per annum, with	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
fuel, water, light, laundry and housing	φ 2,000.00	Ψ 2,000.00

	For the Ye	ora	Ending
	August 31,		August 31,
	1928		1929
Pharmacist, registered	1,200.00		1,200.00
Baker	720.00		720.00
Barber	600.00		600.00
Carpenter and plumber	900.00		900.00
Chaplain, who shall also act as chaplain for Woman's Confederate Home	1,500.00		1,500.00
Chief cooks, two, one at Mothers' Building	1,800.00		1,800.00
Cooks, assistants, three, big kitchen	1,320.00		1,320.00
Cooks, assistants, two, hospital	1,020.00		1,020.00
Cooks, assistants, two, Mothers' Building	1,020.00		1,020.00
Dietitian	1,320.00		1,320.00
Engineer, chief	1,500.00		1,500.00
Engineer, assistant	900.00		900.00
Fireman, three	2,160.00		2,160.00
Garbage men, two	600.00 1,200.00		600.00 1,200.00
Housekeepers, two	720.00		720.00
Janitors and attendants, ten, none to exceed \$50.00	120.00		120.00
per month	5,400.00		5,400.00
Laundresses, nine	2,700.00		2,700.00
Laundry manager	720.00		720.00
Manager of hospital	1,500.00		1,500.00
Matron	600.00		600.00
Night watchman	720.00		720.00
Nurses, trained, two	1,800.00		1,800.00
Nurses, male, fifteen	10,000.00 480.00		10,000.00 480.00
Oculist	480.00		480.00
Postmaster	480.00		480.00
Secretary	900.00		900.00
Seamstress	480.00		480.00
Storekeeper and accountant, with board for himself	THE PROPERTY SHADE.		and the second
and family	1,200.00		1,200.00
Surgeon	2,500.00		2,500.00
Storekeeper, assistant	600.00		600.00 1,440.00
Waiters, head, three, one for Mothers' Building Waiters, sixteen	1,440.00 5,760.00		5,760.00
Yardman	480.00		480.00
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Total salaries\$	58,720.00	\$	58,720.00
Maintenance, Repairs and Miscellaneous:			
Road, sidewalks, ditching and improvement of			
grounds\$	2,000.00	\$	2,000.00
Dental work	300.00		300.00
Drugs and hospital supplies	2,500.00		2,500.00
New porches for buildings	2,500.00		2,500.00
General repairs to be authorized by Board of Control	5,000.00		5,000.00
Laundry equipment	7,500.00		1,500.00 500.00
Hospital furniture and equipment	1,000.00 106,300.00		105,800.00
Support and maintenance	1,000.00		100,000.00
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Total\$	128,100.00	\$	120,100.00
Grand total\$		\$	178,820.00
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Confederate Woman's Hom	e.		
Salaries of:			
Superintendent, with provisions for herself and family, not to exced in value \$500.00 per annum,			
with fuel, water, light, laundry and housing\$	2,000.00	\$	2,000.00
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	For the Ye August 31,	ars Ending August 31,
	1928	1929
Attendant in large building	420.00	
Attendant and cook for superintendent	420.00	420.00 420.00
Attendants, hospital, five	1,800.00	
Cook, main building	600.00	1,800.00 600.00
Cook, hospital	600.00	600.00
Dentist	600.00	600.00
Dining room girls, four	1,440.00	1,440.00
Housekeeper	720.00	720.00
Janitor	600.00	600.00
Laundry checker and sorter	420.00	420.00
Night watchman	900.00	900.00
Nurses, two	1,680.00	1,680.00
Nurses, night, four	2,400.00	2,400.00
Nurses, extra	1,800.00	1,800.00
Physician	1,200.00	1,200.00
Stenographer, storekeeper and accountant	1,200.00	1,200.00
Stewardess, hospital	660.00	060.00
Yardman	600.00	600.00
Total salaries	20,060.00	\$ 20,060.00
General Maintenance and Miscellaneous:		
	350.00	\$ 350.00
Eye, ear, nose and throat treatment	100.00	100.00
Support and maintenance	25,000.00	25,000.00
Support and maintenance	20,000.00	20,000.00
Total	25,450.00	\$ 25,450.00
Repairs and Improvements:		
General repairs and improvement, including		
linoleum	4,000.00	\$ 3,000.00
To glass in bridges between hospital buildings	1,200.00	
Total	5,200.00	\$ 3,000.00
Grand total		\$ 48,510.00
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Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute for Co	lored Youths.	
Salaries of:		
Superintendent, with provisions for himself and fam-		
ily, not to exceed \$500.00 per annum, with fuel,		THE STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE P
light, laundry, water and housing		\$ 1,800.00
Storekeeper and accountant, with board and laundry	1,200.00	1,200.00
Oculist	720.00	720.00
Physician	720.00	720.00
Principal, ten months	1,250.00	1,250.00
Teachers, six, for deaf, nine months	3,960.00	3,960.00
Teachers, five, for blind, nine months	3,240.00	3,240.00
Teachers, ten, industrial branches for deaf and		
blind, one twelve months, one ten months, eight	c 270 00	6,370.00
nine months	6,370.00	0,010.00
Teachers, one assistant industrial branches, deaf	450.00	450.00
and blind, nine months	430.00	400.00
Teachers, three, instrumental and vocal music, nine	2,160.00	2,160.00
months Cooks, two, one twelve months; one, nine months	1,125.00	1,125.00
Dishwasher and scrubber, nine months	360.00	360.00
Dairyman, twelve months	600.00	600.00
Engineer, electrician, plumber, two; one twelve	000.00	
months; one ten months	1,600.00	1,600.00

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	August 31,	A	ugust 31,
To wro ou	1928		1929
Farmer	600.00		600.00
Farm hands and teamsters, two	1,080.00		1,080.00
Housekeeper, twelve months	480.00		480.00
Laundryman, head	900.00		900.00
Laundresses, six; three for nine months; three for	* 000 00		
twelve months	1,890.00		1,890.00
Matrons for dining rooms and dormitories, seven;	001500		
one for twelve months; six for nine months	3,045.00		3,045.00
Night watchman	600.00		600.00
Nurse, trained, nine months	675.00		675.00
Yardman and janitor	480.00		480.00
Total salaries\$	35,305.00	\$	35,305.00
General Maintenance:			
Fuel, light, power and water\$	6,000.00	\$	6,000.00
Musical instruments			800.00
Stationery, postage and catalogs and printing	400.00		400.00
Transportation of indigent pupils	800.00		800.00
Traveling expenses of Superintendent, subject to ap-			
proval of Board of Control	200.00		200.00
Support and maintenance	35,000.00		33,200.00
Total\$	42,400.00	\$	41,400.00
Repairs and Improvements:			
General repairs and equipment\$	10,000.00	\$	5,000.00
Moving boiler house and rebuilding same; reset and repair present boiler; one new boiler, stack, feed pump, tunnel, electric lines and conduit for in-	23,000.00		2,022,22
stitution Remodeling old administration building, new roof, plastering, building firewall, flooring, ceiling and	30,000.00		
concrete porches	30,000.00		
Changing old dining hall and dormitory into trades building	t		15,000.00
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Total\$	70,000.00	\$	20,000.00
Grand total\$	147,705.00	\$	96,705.00
Girls' Training School.			
Salaries of:			
Superintendent, with provisions not to exceed in			
value \$500.00 per annum, with water, fuel, light,	0 000 00	œ.	9 000 00
laundry and housing\$	2,000.00	\$	2,000.00
Head matron	1,080.00		1,080.00
Truck driver and helper	720.00		720.00
Cosmetician	900.00		900.00
Dairy attendant and farm assistant	900.00		900.00
Farm matron	720.00		720.00
Farm assistants, two	1,440.00		1,440.00
Homefinding supervisor	1,200.00		1,200.00
Laundress, head	720.00		720.00
Matrons and housekeepers, ten	7,200.00		7,200.00
Nurse	1,000.00		1,000.00
Night watchman	720.00		720.00
Plumber and engineer	1,200.00		1,200.00
Physician	1,500.00		1,500.00
Storekeeper and accountant	1,200.00		1,200.00
Stenographer	900.00		900.00

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	August 31,	£	lugust 31,
	1928		1929
School principal	1,200.00		1,200.00
Teachers, academic, four	3,360.00		3,360.00
Teacher, commercial	1,000.00		1,000.00
Teacher, domestic science	900.00		900.00
Teacher, manual training	1,000.00		1,000.00
Teacher, music	1,000.00		1,000.00
Teacher, sewing	1,000.00		1,000.00
Y. W. C. A. director	900.00		900.00
Total salaries	33,760.00	\$	33,760.00
Maintenance and Miscellaneous:			
Beauty parlor equipment	1,000.00		
Installing pump and deep well equipment, boiler and	1,000.00		
power house equipment and freight	2,000.00		
Dental, surgical, eye and ear	1,500.00	S	1,500.00
Fuel and gas	4,000.00	φ	4,000.00
Literature and amusement	500.00		500.00
Millinery and sewing	500.00		500.00
Furniture for living room	1,000.00		1,000.00
Manual training supplies and equipment	250.00		250.00
Converting school into dormitory, and equipping.	200.00		20,000.00
School building, auditorium and equipment	50,000.00		20,000.00
Remodeling and enlarging laundry equipment and	00,000.00		
supplies, to be available both years	11,000.00		
General repairs	5,000.00		5,000.00
Support and maintenance	30,000.00		40,000.00
Automobile truck	1,500.00		
Automobile	1,200.00		
Traveling expenses, parole department	2,000.00		2,000.00
Traveling expenses, Superintendent, to visit similar	,		•
institutions in other States	300.00		300.00
Walks and drives	800.00		800.00
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Total		\$	75,850.00
Grand total	\$ 146,310.00	\$	109,610.00
Home for Dependent and Neglected	l Children.		
Salaries of:			
Superintendent, with provisions for self and family,			
not to exceed in value \$500 per annum, with			
light, water, heat, laundry and housing	3 2,000.00	\$	2,000.00
Storekeeper and accountant, with board and laun-		1.50	153
dry for himself and family	1,200.00		1,200.00
Teacher and athletic director, twelve months	1,200.00		1,200.00
Farmer and gardener	900.00		900.00
Engineer and plumber	1,200.00		1,200.00
Poultry and yardman	900.00		900.00
School principal, ten months	1,250.00		1,250.00
Assistants, three	2,700.00		2,700.00
Teacher of music	900.00		900.00
Chaplain	600.00		600.00
Physician	1,200.00		1,200.00
Matron	900.00		900.00
Matrons, assistants, two	1,440.00		1,440.00
Matrons, two, for nursery building	1,200.00		1,200.00
Nurse and dietitian	1,020.00		1,020.00
Cook, chief	720.00		720.00
Cook, assistants, two	1,200.00		1,200.00

	For the Ye August 31,		Ending August 31,
	1928	-	1929
Night watchman Salary reserve	720.00 1,200.00		720.00 1,200.00
Total salaries	\$ 24,130.00	\$	24,130.00
Maintenance and Miscellaneous:			
Support and maintenance	1,000.00 2,000.00 1,000.00	\$	43,000.00 1,000.00
Improvement of grounds and roads To purchase dairy herd and poultry	1,000.00 1,000.00		1,000.00 1,000.00
Total	\$ 44,500.00	\$	46,000.00
Buildings and Improvements:			
One dormitory and equipment	25,000.00	\$	45,000.00
To move and install boiler from Wichita Falls Water tank, tower and equipment	1,672.00		8,000.00
Total	31,672.00	\$	53,000.00
Grand total		\$	123,130.00
State Hospital for Crippled and Deformed C	hildren at G	alve	ston.
Maintenance of X-ray equipment	\$ 500.00	\$	500.00
Support and maintenance	13,000.00		13,000.00
Salary of head nurse	1,080.00 5,000.00		1,080.00 5,000.00
Repairs and improvements	3,000.00	_	3,000.00
Total Grand total		\$	19,580.00 19,580.00
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State Juvenile Training Sch Salaries of:	nool.		
Superintendent, with provisions for himself and			
family, not to exceed in value \$500 per annum, with fuel, lights, water, laundry and housing	2,500.00	\$	2,500.00
for himself and family	1,500.00		1,500.00
Commandant	1,500.00		. 1,500.00
Chaplain	1,500.00		1,500.00
Dentist	600.00		600.00
Druggist and nurse	1,200.00 1,500.00		1,200.00 1,500.00
Engineer Engineer, assistant	1,000.00		1,000.00
Field instructors, ten	9,000.00		9,000.00
Matrons for boys' dormitories, five	3,600.00		3,600.00
Night watchmen, nine	8,100.00		8,100.00
Physician	1,500.00		1,500.00
Probation officer and stenographer	900.00		900.00
Storekeeper and accountant, with board and laun-	1 000 00		1 000 00
dry for himself and family	1,200.00		1,200.00
Storekeeper and accountant, assistant	900.00		900.00
Principal manual training school	1,800.00 1,200.00		1,800.00 1,200.00
Gardener	900.00		900.00
	000.00		000.00

	For the Ye August 31, 1928		Ending August 31, 1929
Plumber Teachers, not to exceed \$1,800.00 each	1,000.00 30,000.00		1,000.00 30,000.00
Total salaries	71,400.00	\$	71,400.00
General Maintenance:			
Discharge and transportation	6,500.00	\$	6,500.00
Farm implements	2,500.00	Ψ	1,500.00
Postage and express	1,500.00		1,500.00
Vocational equipment	3,000.00		3,000.00
Support and maintenance	135,450.00		135,450.00
Total	148,950.00	\$	147,950.00
Repairs and Improvements:			
General repairs and changing current distribution .\$	10,000.00	\$	5,000.00
Dormitories, two, equipped	30,000.00	*	30,000.00
Total	40,000.00	\$	35,000.00
Miscellaneous Items:			
Dairy cattle \$	1,500.00	\$	1,500.00
Motor trucks	1,000.00		1,000.00
Mules and mares, to purchase	1,000.00		1,000.00
Total	3,500.00	\$	3,500.00
Grand total	263,850.00	\$	257,850.00
State Orphan Home.			
Salaries of:			
Superintendent, with provisions for self and family,			
not to exceed in value \$500.00 per annum, with			
water, light, heat, laundry and housing	2,000.00	\$	2,000.00
Storekeeper and accountant, with board, laundry	1 000 00		1 000 00
and housing, for self and family	1,200.00		1,200.00
Storekeeper, assistant	900.00		900.00
Band instructor	1,000.00		1,000.00 1,500.00
Supervisor for boys Librarian and office assistant	1,500.00 900.00		900.00
Teacher in kindergarten, ten months	1,000.00		1,000.00
Teachers, primary, four, ten months	3,400.00		3,400.00
Teachers, intermediate, six, ten months	5,100.00		5,100.00
Teacher and grade principal, ten months	1,000.00		1,000.00
Teacher, art and penmanship, ten months	850.00		850.00
Teacher, commercial, ten months	1,000.00		1,000.00
Teacher, domestic economy, ten months	1,000.00		1,000.00
Teacher, English, ten months	1,000.00		1,000.00
Teacher, high school principal, ten months	1,500.00		1,500.00
Teacher, history, ten months. Teacher, manual training, ten months, assistant me-	1,000.00		1,000.00
chanical engineering (woodwork)	1,000.00		1,000.00
Teacher, mathematics, ten months	1,000.00		1,000.00
Teacher, mechanical engineering, twelve months	2,400.00		2,400.00
Teacher, music, supervisor, ten months	1,000.00		1,000.00
Teacher, music, assistant, ten months	850.00		850.00
Teacher, science, ten months	1,000.00		1,000.00
Teacher, Spanish, ten months	1,000.00		1,000.00
Teacher, vocational agriculture, twelve months, part	1 000 00		1 000 00
time salary	1,200.00		1,200.00 720.00
Baker and butcher, twelve months	720.00		120.00

	For the Ve	one Ending
	For the Ye August 31,	August 31,
	1928	1929
Yardman and florist, twelve months	900.00	
Carpenter and blacksmith	1,000.00	900.00 $1,000.00$
Chaplain and teacher	1,200.00	1,200.00
Cook, chief	900.00	900.00
Cook, assistant	600.00	600.00
Teacher, printing, ten months	1,000.00	1,000.00
Cook, second assistant	480.00	480.00
Cook, assistant	480.00	480.00
Cook, new dining room	720.00	720.00
Cook, assistant, new dining room	480.00	480.00
Dentist, part time	600.00	600.00
Dean of girls and director	1,000.00	1,000.00
Engineer, chief	1,500.00	1,500.00
Farm foreman	1,000.00	1,000.00
Firemen, two	1,200.00	1,200.00
Laundry foreman and instructor	900.00	900.00
Laundresses, two	1,200.00	1,200.00
Chief matron	1,000.00	1,000.00
Ward matrons, eleven, not to exceed \$50 per month	6,600.00	6,600.00
Matrons, assistants, two	960.00	960.00
Matrons, dining room, two	960.00	960.00
Night watchman	720.00	720.00
Nurse, registered	1,200.00	1,200.00
Nurse, assistant	600.00	00.00
Physician	1,200.00 900.00	1,200.00 900.00
Plumber and ice plant foreman	1,800.00	1,800.00
Shoe and harness repair	600.00	600.00
Treatment, ear, eye, nose and throat	600.00	600.00
Stewardess and dietitian	1,500.00	1,500.00
Gardener	720.00	720.00
Barber	600.00	600.00
Total salaries	69,640.00	\$ 69,640.00
General Maintenance:	*	-
Amusement and entertainment	1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Books and school supplies	1,500.00	1,500.00
Farm tools	750.00	750.00
Power plant material	1,000.00	1,000.00
Postage, stationery and express	500.00	500.00
Support and maintenance	140,000.00	150,000.00
Telephone rent and tolls	500.00	500.00
Trees, seeds and nursery stock	300.00	300.00
Total	145,550.00	\$ 155,550.00
Miscellaneous Items:		
Band instruments		\$ 1,250.00
Fire fighting equipments	500.00	500.00
Library equipment and supplies	500.00	250.00
Goncrete creamery house	2,500.00	
Motor truck	1,700.00	
Total	5,200.00	\$ 2,000.00
Repairs and Improvements:		
General repairs, conversion of present dining room		
into dormitories and purchase of 21.6 acres of		<u></u>
land from T. B. Sadler, first year		\$ 25,000.00
Machine shop equipment	7,500.00	2,500.00

	For the Ye	ars Ending
	August 31, 1928	August 31, 1929
Manual training equipment Printing department equipment Shoe shop equipment	4,000.00 5,500.00 800.00	2,500.00 1,500.00
Central kitchen and dining room equipment Laboratory for high school High school building High school building equipment	,	65,000.00 1,000.00 60,000.00
High school building equipment.		5,000.00
Total		\$ 162,500.00
Grand total	3 283,190.00	\$ 389,690.00
Rusk State Hospital.		
Salaries of:		
Superintendent, with provisions for himself and family, not to exceed in value \$500.00 per annum, together with light, fuel, laundry, water and		
housing	2,500.00	\$ 2,500.00
Assistant physician, with board and laundry, for self and family	2,000.00	2,000.00
Assistant physician, with board and laundry for self and family	1,800.00	1,800.00
Assistant physician, with board and laundry for self and family	1,800.00	1,800.00
Assistant physician, with board and laundry for self		1,800.00
and family Attendants, eighty, basis \$40.00 per month	1,800.00 38,400.00	38,400.00
Baker	900.00	900.00
Baker, assistant	600.00	600.00
Barbers, two	1,000.00	1,000.00
Blacksmith	720.00	720.00
Butcher	540.00	540.00
Cook, chief	900.00 1,200.00	900.00 1,200.00
Cooks, chief assistants, two	2,880.00	2,880.00
Carpenter	1,000.00	1,000.00
Chaplain	400.00	400.00
Dietitian or stewardess	1,500.00	1,500.00
Druggist, registered	1,200.00	1,200.00
Dentist, full time	1,600.00	1,600.00
Dining room girls, twelve	4,320.00	4,320.00 1,500.00
Engineer, chief	1,500.00 1,000.00	1,000.00
Engineer, night	900.00	900.00
Engineer, first assistant Engineer, assistant, and plumber	720.00	720.00
Florist	600.00	600.00
Fireman, head	600.00	600.00
Firemen, assistants, two	1,200.00	1,200.00
Farm hands	2,400.00	2,400.00 720.00
Gardener	720.00 600.00	600.00
Ice man	900.00	900.00
Laundry head, and engineer	480.00	480.00
Laundryman, assistant Laundresses, seven	2,520.00	2,520.00
Hall men, two	960.00	960.00
Matron	720.00	720.00
Mattressmaker	720.00	720.00
Superintendent of nurses	1,200.00	1,200.00 6,300.00
Nurses, trained, seven	6,300.00	2,880.00
Nurses for tuberculosis, four	2,880.00	2,000.00

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•	August 31, 1928	£	August 31, 1929
Daulterman		10	
Painter and plasterer	1,000.00 900.00		1,000.00
Seamstresses, five	2,400.00		2,400.00
Plumber	900.00		900.00
Storekeeper and accountant, with board and laun-			
dry for self and family	1,200.00		1,200.00
Storekeeper and accountant, assistant	1,000.00		1,000.00
Stenographer	900.00		900.00
Supervisor	900.00 720.00		900.00 720.00
Supervisoress	900.00		900.00
Supervisoress, assistant	720.00		720.00
Supervisor, night	720.00		720.00
Supervisoress, night	720.00		720.00
Supervisor, outside, head farmer	900.00		900.00
Shoemaker	600.00		600.00
Teacher, occupational therapy Tailoress and seamstress	1,200.00 720.00		1,200.00 720.00
Night watchmen, two	1,440.00		1,440.00
Yardman	600.00		600.00
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Total salaries\$	112,420.00	\$	112,420.00
Maintenance and Miscellaneous:			
Support and maintenance\$	155,000.00	\$	165,000.00
Traveling expense, Superintendent, spent with ap-	100,000.00	Ψ	100,000.00
proval of Board of Control	250.00		250.00
Total	155,250.00	\$	165,250.00
Repairs and Improvements:			
General repairs\$	10,000.00	\$	10,000.00
Ward building and equipment for negro men	85,000.00	*	
Ward building and equipment for negro women	NEX		85,000.00
Relocate and enlarge power and ice plant	29,800.00		
Total\$	124,800.00	\$	95,000.00
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Grand total\$	392,470.00	\$	372,670.00
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San Antonio Hospital. Salaries of:			
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Superintendent, with provisions not to exceed in value \$500 per annum, with water, light, heat,			
laundry, and housing for himself and family\$	2,500.00	\$	2,500.00
First assistant physician	2,000.00	Ψ	2,000.00
Assistant physicians, five	9,000.00		9,000.00
Attendants, 120	57,600.00		57,600.00
Baker	900.00		900.00
Baker, assistants, two	960.00		960.00
Barbers, three	1,530.00		1,530.00 720.00
Blacksmith Butcher and creamery man	720.00 720.00		720.00
Carpenter and assistants	1,620.00		1,620.00
Chaplain	400.00		400.00
Cook, chief	900.00		900.00
Cook, first assistant	600.00		600.00
Cooks, twelve, one to be used by Superintendent	5,760.00		5,760.00
Cooks, tuberculosis cottage, two	960.00		960.00
Dentist, full time	1,600.00 $1,500.00$		1,600.00 1,500.00
Dining room girls, twenty	8,400.00		8,400.00
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	August 31,	A	August 31,
	1928		1929
Engineer, chief	1,500.00		1,500.00
Engineer, first assistant	1,000.00		1,000.00
Engineer, second assistant	720.00		720.00
Engineer, third assistant	720.00		720.00
Engineer, fourth assistant	720.00		720.00
Engineer, ice and laundry	600.00		600.00
Firemen, three	1,800.00		1,800.00
Farm hands, three	1,440.00		1,440.00
Gardener	900.00		900.00
Hall boy	540.00		540.00
Hostler and truck driver	600.00		600.00
Head laundress	900.00		900.00
Laundress, assistant	600.00		600.00
Laundresses, seventeen	7,140.00		7,140.00
Librarian	600.00		600.00
Matron	720.00		720.00
Mattress maker	720.00		720.00
Night attendants, thirty-two, none to exceed \$50;	120.00		120.00
	15,360.00		15 200 00
basis, \$40 per month			15,360.00
Night watchmen, two	1,200.00		1,200.00
Nurses, superintendent	1,200.00		1,200.00
Nurses, three	3,240.00		3,240.00
Telephone, information, and file clerk	600.00		600.00
Painters, two	1,440.00		1,440.00
Parkman and florist	600.00		600.00
Pharmacist, registered	1,200.00		1,200.00
Plasterer	720.00		720.00
Plumber, assistant	720.00		720.00
Roentgenologist, technician, and pathologist	1,800.00		1,800.00
Seavenger	480.00		480.00
Seamstresses, eight	3,840.00		3,840.00
Shoemaker	900.00		900.00
Stenographer	1,000.00		1,000.00
Stenographer, assistant	720.00		720.00
Storekeeper and accountant	1,200.00		1,200.00
Storekeeper and accountant, assistant	900.00		900.00
Storekeeper and accountant, helper	720.00		720.00
Supervisor	900.00		900.00
Supervisor, assistant	720.00		720.00
Supervisoress	900.00		900.00
Supervisoress, assistant	720.00		720.00
Supervisor, night	720.00		720.00
Supervisoress, night	720.00		720.00
Farm superintendent	900.00		900.00
Tailor and seamstress	720.00		720.00
Occupational therapy teacher	1,200.00		1,200.00
Occupational therapy teachers, assistants, five	3,600.00		3,600.00
Occupational therapy teachers, assistants, live	3,000.00	male	5,000.00
Total	167,830.00	\$	167,830.00
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Maintenance:			
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Support and maintenance	280,000.00	\$	280,000.00
Equipment for dining room and kitchen	20,000.00		
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Total	300,000.00	\$	280,000.00
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Repairs and Improvements:			
Old ladies' home and equipment\$	100,000.00		
General repairs and painting	20,000.00	\$	20,000.00
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Total	120,000.00	\$	20,000.00
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	For the Ye August 31, 1928		Ending August 31, 1929
Miscellaneous Items:			
Fund for individual treatment\$ Traveling expenses of Superintendent, to be spent	7,500.00	\$	7,500.00
with approval of Board of Control	250.00		250.00
Total\$	7,750.00	\$	7,750.00
Grand total\$	595,580.00	\$	475,580.00
Terrell State Hospital.			
Salaries of:			
Superintendent, with provisions for himself and			
family not to exceed in value \$500 per annum, with water, light, fuel, laundry, and housing\$	2,500.00	\$	2,500.00
Assistant physician, first, with board and laundry	2,500.00	Φ	2,500.00
for self and family	2,000.00		2,000.00
Assistant physicians, four, with board and laundry	20 327272		11.3 × 11.4 × 1.7 × 0.0 × 1.5 × 0.7 × 0.0 × 1.5
for themselves and family	7,200.00		7,200.00
Attendants, 100, none to exceed \$50 per month Attendants, night, twenty-two	48,000.00 11,880.00		48,000.00 11,880.00
Baker	900.00		900.00
Bakers, assistants, two	960.00		960.00
Barbers, three	1,500.00		1,500.00
Blacksmith	720.00		720.00
Butcher	720.00		720.00
Carpenter	900.00		900.00
Carpenter, assistant	720.00		720.00
Chaplain Cook, chief	400.00 900.00		400.00
Cook, assistant	600.00		900.00 600.00
Cooks, assistants, nine	4,320.00		4,320.00
Cooks, hospital, two	960.00		960.00
Dentist, full time	1,600.00		1,600.00
Dietitian	1,500.00		1,500.00
Druggist, registered	1,200.00		1,200.00
Dining room girls, six	2,160.00		2,160.00
Engineer, chief	1,500.00		1,500.00
Engineer and electrician, assistant	1,000.00		1,000.00 1,000.00
Engineer, night Engineer, ice plant	720.00		720.00
Engineer, laundry	600.00		600.00
Farm hands, three	1,440.00		1,440.00
Firemen, four	2,400.00		2,400.00
Gardener	900.00		900.00
Gardener, assistant	480.00		480.00
Hall and mail man	540.00		540.00 900.00
Laundress, head	900.00 600.00		600.00
Laundresses, fifteen	5,400.00		5,400.00
Matron	720.00		720.00
Mattressmaker	600.00		600.00
Nurses, trained, six	3,600.00		3,600.00
Outside watchmen, two	1,080.00		1,080.00
Painter	720.00		720.00
Painter, assistant	480.00		480.00
Plasterer Plasterer, assistant	720.00 480.00		720.00 480.00
Plumber	1,000.00		1,000.00
Plumber, assistant	720.00		720.00
Roentgenologist, technician and pathologist	1,800.00		1,800.00

	For the Ye		
	August 31,	À	August 31,
	1928		1929
Storekeeper and accountant, with board and laundry	1 000 00		
for self and family	1,200.00		1,200.00
Storekeeper and accountant, assistant	900.00		900.00
Clerk and stenographer, storeroom. Stenographer	720.00		720.00
Stenographer Supervisors, two	900.00		900.00
Supervisoresses, two	1,800.00 1,800.00		1,800.00
Supervisor, night	720.00		1,800.00 720.00
Supervisoress, night	720.00		720.00
Superintendent of farm	900.00		900.00
Seamstresses, six	2,880.00		2,880.00
Shoemaker	900.00		900.00
Seavenger	480.00		480.00
Tailor and seamstress	720.00		720.00
Teacher, occupational therapy	1,200.00		1,200.00
Yardman	600.00		600.00
Head nurse	1,200.00		1,200.00
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Total salaries	138,680.00	\$	138,680.00
Maintenance and Miscellaneous:			
General repairs	20,000.00	\$	20,000.00
Livestock	800.00	Ψ	800.00
Support and maintenance	265,000.00		265,000.00
Transportation	750.00		750.00
Traveling expenses, superintendent, to be spent with			* *****
approval of Board of Control	250.00		250.00
Total	286,800.00	\$	286,800.00
Building and Improvements:			
Rebuilding of administration building and equipment and improving power plant	165,000.00		
ment and improving power plant	103,000.00		
Total\$	165,000.00		
Grand total		\$	423,480.00
Grand total	300,400.00	φ	420,400.00
State Tuberculosis Sanatorio	um.		
Salaries of:			
Superintendent, with provisions for self and family,			
not to exceed in value \$500.00 per annum\$	2,500.00	\$	2,500.00
First assistant physician, with board and laundry	,	- 6	3 * .
for self and family	2,000.00		2,000.00
Second assistant physician, with board and laundry	*		
for self and family	1,800.00		1,800.00
Third assistant physician, with board and laundry			
for self and family	1,800.00		1,800.00
Fourth assistant physician, with board and laundry			
for self and family	1,800.00		1,800.00
Fifth assistant physician, with board and laundry			
for self and family	1,200.00		1,200.00
Baker	1,200.00		1,200.00
Carpenter	900.00		900.00
Chaplain	00.00		600.00
Cleaner and sweepers, eleven	2,640.00		2,640.00
Chief cook	1,200.00		1,200.00 1,440.00
Cooks, two	1,440.00		4,320.00
Cooks, assistants, six	4,320.00 960.00		960.00
Cooks, assistants, two	900,00		800.00

	For the Ye August 31, 1928		Ending ugust 31, 1929
Dentist	900.00		900.00
Dishwashers, nine	3,240.00		3,240.00
Pharmacist, registered	1,200.00		1,200.00
Engineer, chief	1,500.00		1,500.00
	1,000.00		1,000.00
Engineer, assistant, and electrician	720.00		720.00
Plumber	840.00		
Ice plant engineer			840.00
Farm hands, five	2,400.00		2,400.00
Firemen, three	2,760.00		2,760.00
Gardener	900.00		900.00
Hackdriver and chauffeur	420.00		420.00
Housekeepers	900.00		900.00
Laboratory and X-ray experts	1,200.00		1,200.00
Laundry foreman	1,200.00		1,200.00
Laundry washroom man	720.00		720.00
Laundry, assistants	960.00		960.00
Laundresses, twelve	5,040.00		5,040.00
Librarian	300.00		300.00
Matron and dietitian	1,200.00		1,200.00
Marker and sorter	720.00		720.00
Night watchman	900.00		900.00
Superintendent of nurses	1,200.00		1,200.00
Graduate nurses, ten	6,780.00		6,780.00
Non-graduate nurses, thirty	7,200.00		7,200.00
Outside supervisor	900.00		900.00
Painter	900.00		900.00
Pot washers, two	960.00		960.00
Poultryman	900.00		900.00
Seamstress	540.00		540.00
Stenographer and record clerk	1,000.00		1,000.00
Storekeeper and accountant, with board, and laun-	2,000.00		2,000.00
dry for himself and family	1,200.00		1,200.00
Assistant storekeeper and accountant	900.00		900.00
Telephone operators	720.00		720.00
Waitresses	8,640.00		8,640.00
Yardmen, two	1,440.00		1,440.00
Picture show operator	300.00		300.00
Teamsters, two	960.00		960.00
	900.00		900.00
Meat cutter	600.00		600.00
Storeroom helper and stenographer		_	avia escapo de co
Total salaries\$	89,420.00	\$	89,420.00
Repairs and Improvements:			
Power plant equipment, including engine, generators,			
repairs to steam main, tunnels, electric lines and			
sewer plant, shallow well, equipment and storage			
tank for fuel oil\$			
General repairs	7,500.00	\$	7,500.00
To enlarge and equip main dining room			20,000.00
One dormitory equipped for seventy-five patients	80,000.00		WWW. WWW.Co. 129721
Quarters for negro employes			5,000.00
Remodel laboratory building			5,000.00
Sterilizer installed for dairy			3,000.00
Farm equipment and teams			1,500.00
matal a	147 500 00	Ф.	49 000 00
Total\$	147,500.00	\$	42,000.00
Maintenance and Miscellaneous:			
X-ray laboratory equipment\$	1,000.00	\$	1,000.00
Books, films, amusements	2,000.00		2,000.00

	For the Ye August 31, 1928	ars Ending August 31, 1929
Improvement of drives, yards, and grounds, including lights Traveling expense Support and maintenance Implements, machinery and vehicles Literature, publications and lecturing	4,500.00 300.00 172,000.00 1,000.00	1,000.00 300.00 187,000.00 1,000.00 10,000.00
Total		\$ 202,300.00 \$ 333,720.00
Wichita Falls State Hospita	1.	
Salaries of:		
Superintendent, with provisions for himself and family, not to exceed in value \$500.00 per annum, together with fuel, water, light, laundry and		A STATE OF
Assistant physician, with board and laundry for	2,500.00	\$ 2,500.00
himself and family	2,000.00	2,000.00
for themselves and families	5,400.00	5,400.00
Attendants	34,100.00	34,100.00
Baker	900.00	900.00
Baker, assistant and butcher	600.00	600.00
Barber	720.00	720.00
Carpenter	900.00	900.00
Carpenter assistant	720.00	720.00
Chaplain	400.00	400.00
Cooks, nine	5,400.00	5,400.00
Dentist (full time)		1,600.00
Dietitian	1,500.00	1,500.00
Engineer, chief	1,500.00	1,500.00
Engineer, assistant	1,000.00	1,000.00
Engineer, night	900.00	900.00
Firemen, two	1,200.00	1,200.00
Farm hands, two	960.00	960.00
Gardener	900.00	900.00
Hall man	540.00	540.00
Laundress, head	900.00	900.00
Laundresses, eight	3,840.00	3,840.00
Laundry machinist	720.00	720.00
Mattressmaker	720.00	720.00 720.00
Matron	720.00	720.00
Night watchman	1,200.00	1,200.00
Nurses, trained	9,600.00	9,600.00
Nurses, night, sixteen	720.00	720.00
Painter and plasterer Plumber	1,000.00	1,000.00
Pharmacist	1,200.00	1,200.00
Roentgenologist and pathologist	1,800.00	1,800.00
Electrician and iceman	720.00	720.00
Seamstress	720.00	720.00
Seamstresses, three	1,920.00	1,920.00
Shoemaker	720.00	720.00
Storekeeper and accountant, with board and laun-		a second of
dry for himself and family	1,200.00	1,200.00
Storekeeper and accountant, assistant	1,000.00	1,000.00
Ctanagua nhaw	900.00	900.00
Stenographet		
Stenographer Supervisor, day	1,000.00	
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Farm superintendent	900.00		900.00
Supervisoress, day	900.00		900.00
Supervisoress, day, assistant	720.00		720.00
Supervisoress, night	720.00		720.00
Teacher, occupational therapy	1,200.00		1,200.00
Telephone operator and information clerk	720.00		720.00
Truck man	600.00		600.00
Yardman	900.00		900.00
Total salaries	101,560.00	\$	103,160.00
Maintenance and Miscellaneous:		ф	1 000 00
Live stock	3,000.00	\$	1,000.00
Support and maintenance	170,000.00		160,000.00
Transportation of patients	600.00		750.00
Traveling expenses of Superintendent, with approval of Board of Control	250.00		250.00
	172 950 00	<u> </u>	169 000 00
Total	3 173,850.00	\$	162,000.00
Repairs and Improvements: Boiler, new, and enlarging power house and equip-			
ment	20,000.00		
Dormitory for employes	50,000.00		
Fencing	900.00	\$	900.00
General repairs and improvements	7,500.00	Ψ	7,500.00
	500.00		1,000.00
Hospital, dental and laboratory equipment	200.00		500.00
Enlarging, repair, and equip laundry	5,000.00		
Silo			1,800.00
Ward buildings and equipment, two	125,000.00		125,000.00
Water softener and filtration plant	5,000.00		
Repairs to ice plant	3,000.00	-	
Total	3 216,900.00	\$	135,700.00
Grand total	\$ 492,331.00	\$	400,860.00
RECAPITULATIONS.	0.		3
Eleemosynary Institutions	S.		
Abilene State Hospital		\$	302,190.00
Austin State School	249,670.00		289,650.00
Austin State Hospital	485,120.00		435,120.00
Pasteur Institute	7,300.00		7,300.00
Confederate Home	186,820.00		178,820.00
Confederate Woman's Home	50,710.00		48,510.00
Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute for Colored Youths.	147,705.00		96,705.00
Girls' Training School	146,310.00		109,610.00
Home for Dependent and Neglected Children	100,302.00		123,130.00
State Hospital for Crippled and Deformed Children	19,580.00		19,580.00
at Galveston	263,850.00		257,850.00
State Orphans Home	283,190.00		389,690.00
Rusk State Hospital	392,470.00		372,670.00
San Antonio State Hospital	595,580.00		475,580.00
			423,480.00
State Tuberculosis Sanatorium			333,720.00
Wichita Falls State Hospital	492,331.00	į.	400,860.00
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Terrell State Hospital. State Tuberculosis Sanatorium Wichita Falls State Hospital. Total for each year. Grand total for biennium.	3 4,735,528.00		333,7 400,8 4,264,4

All salaries shall be paid in twelve equal monthly installments except as otherwise herein provided, and all employes may receive board except when otherwise stated.

No property belonging to any of the above institutions shall be sold or disposed of without the consent of the Board of Control; and all proceeds from the sale of any such property, from labor performed, and from the sale of crops and pay patient funds, shall become a special support and maintenance fund to be expended under the direction and approval of the State Board of Control, and a complete statement of all such transactions shall be made in the annual report of said institution.

The appropriations herein provided for are to be construed as the maximum sums to be appropriated to and for the several purposes named herein, and no expenditures shall be made, nor shall any obligations be incurred, which, added to the actual expenditures, will exceed the amount herein appropriated for either

of said purposes.

If any work be not done or the place not filled by the appointment of a person, for whom a salary is herein fixed then such salary shall lapse and be returned to or left in the State Treasury; provided, that no person for whom any salary is herein fixed shall be allowed to draw more than the amount of such salary from any other salary or amount herein fixed, or from any fees authorized to be charged, or from any State fund or funds under the control of the governing authority of such particular institution; and provided that if any amount herein fixed for any particular purpose be not used for such purpose, in whole, or in part, the unused portion of such fixed amount shall be returned to or left in the State Treasury; provided further, that this language shall not be construed to prevent promotions, or the transfer of one employe from the position for which employed, having affixed thereto one salary, to another position having affixed a different salary.

When, under this bill, the family of any superintendent, officer or employe of any of said institutions, are permitted to live at said institution, and furnished with board, fuel, lights, laundry, water, housing, or furnished any of said things, the word "family" shall be construed to mean the immediate family of said superintendent, officer or employe, including himself, wife and minor children only, and when any officer or employe is to be furnished with provisions not to exceed some certain amount stated, it shall be the duty of the storekeeper and accountant to charge said superintendent, officer or employe with each item of provisions as furnished him, showing the price or value thereof, and said storekeeper shall not permit the amount authorized to be exceeded, and shall make a monthly report of same to the Board of Control and said Board of Control shall be charged with the duty of seeing that no account for such provisions exceeds the amount allowed therefor.

And it is further provided that the heads of all said institutions hereinbefore mentioned shall keep a record of the absences of the various employes and the reasons therefor, whether from sickness, vacations, or leave of absence, and that the record of such absences be incorporated in the report made annually by the head of said institution.

Provided, that all new buildings authorized by this act, costing more than \$10,000, and for which appropriations are hereby made, except as otherwise

provided, shall be of fireproof construction.

The amounts appropriated in this act are intended to cover and shall cover the entire cost of the respective items; the same shall not be supplemented from any other source whatever, and no portion of the money appropriated for any particular item shall be used or expended for any other item than that for which such appropriation was made; and no salary for which an appropriation is made herein shall be paid to any person unless such person actually discharges the duties of the position for which such appropriation was made; and no portion of an appropriation for one position shall be paid to any person holding any position other than that for which such appropriation was made; and it is especially provided hereby, that all contracts and undertakings entered into, under and by virtue of the terms thereof, for improvements, enlargements and repairs on buildings and grounds, and for the construction of new buildings and for furnishings and equipment of buildings, shall be made strictly within the limits and terms of the appropriations made for such purposes, and it shall be the duty of the board of control of the various in-

stitutions, in the consideration and adoption of plans, specifications and contracts therefor, not to exceed such appropriations nor to incur any obligations in excess thereof.

Sec. 2. Any superintendent of any of the foregoing institutions named in this bill, for which an appropriation is made herein, or any other person charged with the duty of disbursing the funds appropriated herein, who shall knowingly violate any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of official misconduct, which shall be, and the same is hereby made, a ground

for the removal of such person from office.

Sec. 3. The fact that the above and foregoing is one of the regular appropriation bills for the support of the State eleemosynary institutions for the two fiscal years beginning September 1, 1927, and ending August 31, 1929, creates a necessity for the expediting of the passage of this appropriation bill, and an emergency and an imperative public necessity which demands that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended, and that this bill become effective from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

> WOOD, BAILEY, REAL, WESTBROOK, REID,

On the part of the Senate.

TEER, YOUNG, PEARCE,

On the part of the House.

On motion of Mr. Teer, the report was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 64 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Dielmann, by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and pas-

sage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 64, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the redemption of land sold under decree of court for taxes levied by the State or by any county, and providing that the redemption of land so sold may be had within two years from the date of such sale, and providing the terms, conditions and penalties incident thereto, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and

was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 64 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Dielmann moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 64 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-106.

Mr. Speaker. Hagaman. Alexander. Hall. Harding. Anderson. Avis. Harman. Barron. Hefley. Bass. High. Holder. Bateman. Bird. Holland. Black. Jacks. Boggs. Johnson Boon. of Anderson. Branch. Johnson Brice. of Dimmit. Brown. Jones. Conway Kayton. Cornwell. Keeton. Cox. Kemble. Kennedy. Cummings. Kincaid. Davis. King of Hopkins. DeBerry. Denman. King of Throckmorton. Dielmann. Land. Enderby. Eickenroht. Lewis. Farrar. Lipscomb. Loy. Faulk. McCombs. Finlay. McGill. Fly. Forbes. Merritt. Foster. Minor. Gibson. Moursund. Gilbert. Murphy. Gray. Nabors.

Nicholson. Stell. Olsen. Stevenson. Parish of Runnels. Storey. Parrish of Travis. Stout. Pearce. Taylor. Poage. Teer. Pool. Tillotson. Pope. Van Zandt. Purl. Veatch. Rawlins. Waddell. Walker. Reagan. Renfro of Mills. Wallace of Panola. Rogers of Hays. Wallace of Smith. Runge. Ware. Wassell. Sanders. Satterwhite. Wells. Shaver. Williams Shearer. of Sabine. Williams Sheats. Simmons. of Travis. Sinks. Williamson. Woodall. Smith of Nueces. Smyth. Young. Snelgrove.

Nays-2.

Kirkland.

Renfro of Angelina.

Absent.

Acker. Pavlica. Albritton. Petsch. Barnett. Porter. Beck. Powell. Bonham. Rogers of Shelby. Daniel. Rowell. Duvall. Shirley. Smith of El Paso. Graves. Smith of Smith. Hogg. Justice. Sutton. Swain. Turner. Kenyon. Kirby. Wallace Loftin. of Freestone. Long. Webb. Masterson. Whitaker. Montgomery. Woodruff. Morse.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Kinnear. Fuchs. McKean. Gates. Smith of Atascosa. Hornaday.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 64 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-104.

Mr. Speaker. Avis.
Albritton. Barnett.
Alexander. Barron.
Anderson. Bass.

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Bateman.	McGill.
Beck.	Merritt.
Bird.	Minor.
Black.	Moursund.
Boggs.	Murphy.
Boon.	Nabors.
Branch.	Nicholson,
Brice.	Olsen.
Conway.	Parrish of Travis.
Cornwell.	Pearce.
Cox.	Petsch.
Cummings.	Poage.
DeBerry.	Pool.
Denman.	Pope.
Dielmann.	Powell.
Enderby.	Purl.
Farrar.	Reagan.
Faulk.	Renfro
Finlay.	of Angelina.
Fly.	Renfro of Mills.
Forbes.	Rogers of Hays.
Foster.	Runge.
Gilbert.	Satterwhite.
Gray.	Shaver.
Hagaman.	Shearer.
Hall.	Shirley.
Harding.	Simmons.
Haiuing.	Sinks.
Harman.	
Hefley.	Smith of Nueces.
High.	Smyth.
Holder.	Stell.
Holland.	Stevenson.
Jacks.	Storey.
Johnson	Stout.
of Anderson.	Swain.
Johnson	Tillotson.
of Dimmit.	Van Zandt.
Jones.	Veatch.
Kayton.	Walker.
Kennedy. Kincaid. King of Hopkins.	Wallace of Panola.
Kincaid.	Wallace of Smith.
King of Hopkins.	Ware.
King of	Wells.
Throckmorton.	Williams
Kirkland.	of Sabine.
Land.	Williams
Lewis.	of Travis.
Lipscomb.	Williamson.
Loftin.	Woodall.
Lov.	Young.
Loy. McCombs.	B
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Acker.	Kemble.
Bonham.	Kenyon.
Brown.	Kirby.
Daniel.	Long.
Davis.	Masterson.
Duvall.	Montgomery.
Eickenroht.	Morse.
Gibson.	Parish of Runnels.
Graves.	Pavlica.
Hogg.	Porter.
Keeton.	Rawlins.

Rogers of Shelby. Teer. Rowell. Turner. Sanders. Waddell. Sheats. Wallace Smith of El Paso. of Freestone. Wassell. Smith of Smith. Snelgrove. Webb. Whitaker. Sutton. Taylor. Woodruff.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Kinnear. Fuchs. McKean. Gates. Smith of Atascosa. Hornaday.

SENATE BILL NO. 47 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Stell moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to suspend the constitutional rule on Senate bill No. 47.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

Mr. Shearer moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate bill No. 47 be placed on its

third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the follow-

ing vote:

Hall.

Harding.

Harman.

Hefley.

High.

Yeas-100.

Hogg. Holder. Mr. Speaker. Alexander. Anderson. Holland. Jacks. Barron. Bateman. Johnson of Anderson. Beck. Black. Johnson of Dimmit. Boggs. Bonham. Jones. Kayton. Branch. Kincaid. King of Hopkins. Brown. Conway Cornwell. Kirkland. Cox. Lewis. Cummings. Lipscomb. Loy. Davis. McGill. DeBerry. Denman. Merritt. Dielmann. Minor. Moursund. Farrar. Murphy. Finlay. Fly. Nicholson. Olsen. Forbes. Parish of Runnels. Foster. Parrish of Travis. Gibson. Gilbert. Pearce. Poage. Graves. Pool. Gray. Pope. Hagaman. Porter.

Powell.

Rawlins.

Reagan.

Purl.

Taylor.

Renfro of Mills. Rogers of Hays. Rogers of Shelby. Teer. Tillotson. Turner. Van Zandt. Runge. Sanders. Veatch. Satterwhite. Wallace of Freestone. Shaver. Wallace of Panola. Wallace of Smith. Sheats. Shirley. Simmons. Ware. Wells. Sinks. Smith of Nueces. Whitaker. Williams Smyth. of Sabine. Stell. Williams Stevenson. of Travis. Storey. Williamson. Stout.

Navs-17.

Young.

Albritton. Kennedy. Avis. Loftin. Nabors. Barnett. Bass. Renfro Bird. of Angelina. Snelgrove. Brice. Daniel. Swain. Enderby. Walker. Woodall. Faulk.

Absent.

McCombs. Acker. Montgomery. Boon. Duvall. Morse. Eickenroht. Pavlica. Petsch. Justice. Rowell. Keeton. Shearer. Kemble. Smith of El Paso. Kenyon. Smith of Smith. King of Sutton. Throckmorton. Waddell. Kirby. Wassell. Land. Long. Webb. Woodruff. Masterson.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Kinnear. Fuchs. McKean. Gates. Smith of Atascosa. Hornaday.

The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 47 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas-101.

Mr. Speaker. Beck.
Albritton. Boggs.
Alexander. Bonham.
Anderson. Branch.
Bass. Brice.
Bateman. Brown.

Conway. Parish of Runnels. Cornwell. Parrish of Travis. Cox. Pearce. Cummings. Poage. Davis. Pool. Pope. DeBerry. Porter. Denman. Dielmann. Powell. Duvall. Purl. Rawlins. Farrar. Finlay. Reagan. Rogers of Hays. Fly. Forbes. Rogers of Shelby. Foster. Runge. Gibson. Sanders. Satterwhite. Gilbert. Graves. Shaver. Gray. Shearer. Hagaman. Sinks. Harding. Smith of Nueces. Harman. Smyth. Hefley. Snelgrove. High. Stell. Holder. Stevenson. Holland. Storey. Stout. Jacks. Swain. Johnson Taylor. of Anderson. Teer. Johnson Tillotson. of Dimmit. Jones. Turner. Van Zandt. Kayton. Veatch. Kennedy. Kincaid. Wallace King of Hopkins. of Freestone. Wallace of Panola. Kirkland. Wallace of Smith. Lewis. Ware. Lipscomb. Loy. McCombs. Wells. Whitaker. McGill. Williams of Sabine. Merritt. Williams Minor. of Travis. Moursund. Williamson. Murphy. Woodall. Nicholson. Young. . Olsen.

Nays-9.

Avis. Land. Barnett. Loftin. Bird. Nabors. Black. Walker. King of

Throckmorton.

Present-Not Voting.

Hall.

Absent.

Acker. Faulk.
Barron. Hogg. H
Boon. Justice.
Daniel. Keeton.
Enderby. Kemble.
Eickenroht. Kenyon.

Kirby. Long. Masterson. Montgomery. Morse. Pavlica. Petsch. Renfro

of Angelina.

Renfro of Mills.

Shirley. Simmons. Smith of El Paso. Smith of Smith. Sutton. Waddell. Wassell. Webb. Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Dunlap. Fuchs. Gates. Hornaday.

Rowell.

Kinnear. McKean.

Sheats.

Smith of Atascosa.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled bills:

H. B. No. 37, "An Act to diminish the civil and criminal jurisdiction of the county court of Bowie county, Texas, and conform the jurisdiction of the district courts of such county to such change."

H. B. No. 15, "An Act creating and defining by metes and bounds Road District No. 2 of Hidalgo county, Texas, under the authority of Article 3, Section 52, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled, or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof; provided, that such district shall be made a body corporate and taxing district under the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas; including certain territories heretofore embraced and contained within the old original Road District No. 1 of Hidalgo county, Texas; providing that the present outstanding bonds of said original Road District No. 1 shall remain a charge against all taxable properties situated within said original district as it existed at the date of the issuance of the present outstanding bonds thereof; providing that the commissioners court of Hidalgo county shall continue to levy, assess and collect, annually, sufficient taxes to pay the interest thereon and provide sinking funds sufficient to pay the principal at maturity, said taxes to be levied and collected upon all the property situated in said district as it existed at the time of the issuance of the present outstanding bonds; provided that said district hereby created shall have author-

pose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon, who are qualified electors of said district as herein defined; providing for the levy and collection of taxes sufficient to pay the interest on, and provide a sinking fund therefor, such bonds and taxes to be a charge against all property, real and personal, situated in the hereinafter defined district, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 16, "An Act to provide for the eradication of scabies among sheep and cattle; to provide adequate quarantine and sanitary measures; to providefor the inspection and dipping, and certification of said livestock, and to provide adequate penalties for violation of quarantine and dipping order of the Live-Stock Sanitary Commission, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 18, "An Act to repeal the-Coleman County Special Road Law, being Chapter 52, page 461, Special Laws of the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, and the amendments to said law passed by Chapter 97, page 763, of the Special Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirtieth Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 88, "An Act authorizing counties to pay taxes on school lands owned by such counties, pursuant to Section 6a of Article 7 of the State Constitution, recently adopted by the people; prescribing the funds out of which any such taxes may be paid, and declar-

ing an emergency.'

H. B. No. 39, "An Act to amend Chapter 97 as passed by the Thirty-ninth Legislature, creating a more efficient road system for Wood county; makingthe county commissioners ex-officio road supervisors for their respective precincts in said county; defining their powers. and duties as such supervisors; providing for their compensation as such; providing for the working of hands on public roads who fail to pay the road: tax provided for herein; providing that no hands shall be apportioned to work on any highways maintained by the State of Texas; providing that hands subject to road duty may be apportioned to roads in the precinct of their residence, other than the public road nearest to them; providing for the workity to issue serial bonds for the purling of county convicts upon the public

road; providing for notice to be served upon hands subject to road duty, and penalty for violating such notice; providing for the collection and disbursement of certain moneys and the payment of fees for service rendered in connection herewith by certain county officials; prohibiting the use of any of the property belonging to Wood county to be used in its road work for any private purpose, and fixing penalties for violation of this act and penalties for the enforcement of the provisions of this act; declaring the provisions of this act cumulative of all general laws of the State of Texas upon this subject, and for the repeal of all special road laws heretofore enacted for Wood county, and parts thereof, when in conflict with any of the provisions of this act, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 45, "An Act creating a more efficient road system for Robertson county, Texas; providing that the commissioners court shall be road commissioners of their respective precincts; providing that such commissioners shall have charge of the roads, teams, tools, machinery and appliances of said county under the direction of the commissioners court; providing for the laying out, establishment and construction of roads. bridges and culverts, and for the repair maintenance thereof; providing that the commissioners court shall cooperate with the State Highway Department in the establishment, construction and maintenance of roads, bridges and culverts to be paid for partly by the county and partly by the State or Federal government; authorizing the commissioners court of Robertson county to issue bonds of said county for the purpose of funding or refunding indebtedness incurred for road and bridge purposes and levy a tax in payment thereof, and declaring an emergency."
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H. B. No. 37, "An Act to diminish the civil and criminal jurisdiction of the county court of Bowie county, Texas, and conform the jurisdiction of the district courts of such county to such change."

H. B. No. 26, "An Act to levy and collect annually a three dollar road tax against all able-bodied male citizens of Wilson county, who are between the ages of twenty-one and forty-five years; providing the manner of assessment and collection of said tax, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 27, "An Act creating Road District No. 1, in Wheeler county, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road honds thereof and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 28, "An Act creating Road District No. 2, in Wheeler county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 29, "An Act creating Road District No. 3, in Wheeler county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 30, "An Act creating Road

District No. 4, in Wheeler county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts, and declaring an emergency."

HOUSE BILL NO. 111 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Sinks, by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 111, A bill to be entitle "An Act to amend Article 417, Title 7, Chapter 3 of the Code of Criminal Procedure of the State of Texas so that one indictment may cover all offenses growing out of the same transaction."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House and it was read second time.

Mr. Sinks offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 111 by inserting the following: "In case of appeal from conviction on one or more counts in the indictment or information the Court of Criminal Appeals shall consider all material errors found by them as being applicable to any one and all the counts named in the indictment or information."

Signed—Sinks, Lipscomb.

The amendment was adopted.

House bill No. 111 was then passed to engrossment.

MOTION TO TAKE UP HOUSE BILL NO. 111.

Mr. Sinks moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 111 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion was lost (not receiving the necessary four-fifths vote) by the following vote:

Yeas-84.

Mr. Speaker. Nicholson. Parish of Runnels. Barron. Bateman. Parrish of Travis. Beck. Pearce. Black. Petsch. Poage. Bonham. Pool. Boon. Pope. Brown. Conway Porter. Cornwell. Powell. Cox. Rawlins. DeBerry. Renfro Denman. of Angelina. Renfro of Mills. Rogers of Shelby. Dielmann. Duvall. Enderby. Satterwhite. Farrar. Shaver. Finlay. Shearer. Fly. Shirley. Forbes. Simmons. Foster. Sinks. Gilbert. Smith of Nueces. Hagaman. Smith of Smith. Hall. Smyth. Harman, Snelgrove. Hogg. Stell. Holder. Stevenson. Holland. Swain. Johnson Taylor. of Dimmit. Teer. Jones. Tillotson. Kayton. Turner. Kennedy. Van Zandt. Kincaid. Veatch. King of Hopkins. Waddell. Ware. King of Throckmorton. Wells. Land. Whitaker. Lewis. Williams of Sabine. Loy. Williams McCombs. McGill. of Travis. Williamson. Merritt. Young. Montgomery. Moursund.

Nays-30.

Albritton. Minor. Avis. Murphy. Barnett. Nabors. Bird. Olsen. Boggs. Purl. Cummings. Reagan. Daniel. Rowell. Davis. Runge. Eickenroht. Sanders. Gibson. Storey. Harding. Stout. Walker. Jacks. Johnson Wallace of Smith. of Anderson. Wassell. Lipscomb. Woodall. Loftin.

Absent.

Acker. Alexander.

Anderson. Kirkland. Bass. Long. Branch. Masterson. Brice. Morse. Faulk. Pavlica. Graves. Rogers of Hays. Gray. Sheats. Hefley. Smith of El Paso. High. Sutton. Justice. Wallace Keeton. of Freestone. Kemble. Wallace of Panola. Kenyon. Webb. Woodruff. Kirby.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Fuchs. Gates. Hornaday. Kinnear. McKean.

Smith of Atascosa.

RECESS.

On motion of Mr. Hall, the House, at 12:15 o'clock p. m., took recess to 2 o'clock p. m. today.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2 o'clock p. m. and was called to order by the Speaker.

BILLS ORDERED NOT PRINTED.

On motion of Mr. Harman, House bill No. 42 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Whitaker, Senate bill No. 85 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, House bill No. 143 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Van Zandt, Senate bill No. 44 was ordered not printed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 61 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, as a special order for this hour, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 61, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting authority for the sale of personal and real property belonging to the Texas prison system; enacting necessary provisions in reference to the terms and conditions of such sales; granting authority for the purchase of lands and appurtenances thereunto belonging necessary for the State prison system, and enacting necessary provisions relative and incident to the same, and declaring an emergency.'

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Teer offered the following (committee) amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 61 by adding a new section to read as follows:

"Section la. The State Prison Board shall have power to sell real estate belonging to the State prison system and to make oil and mineral leases thereon. In any sale of any real estate belonging to said prison system, the Texas Prison Board shall not convey the full fee simple title therein, but shall retain for the use and benefit of the prison system not less than an undivided one-half of the whole of the mineral estate in such real estate, and said board shall have the right to contract with relation to the portion of said mineral estate retained. In any lease conveying the mineral estate in any real property belonging to said prison system, the Texas Prison Board shall retain a royalty of not less than one-eighth of its interest in said mineral estate."

Mr. Satterwhite offered the following substitute for the amendment:

Amend House bill No. 61 by striking out all of Section 1 and insert in lieu

thereof the following:

"Section 1. The State Prison Board shall have power to sell real estate belonging to the State prison system, and to make oil and mineral leases thereon. In any sale of any real estate belong-ing to said prison system, the Texas Prison Board shall not convey the full fee simple title therein, but shall retain for the use and benefit of the prison system not less than an undivided onehalf of the whole of the mineral estate in such real estate, and said board shall have the right to contract with relation to the portion of said mineral estate retained. In any lease conveying the mineral estate in any real property belonging to said prison system, the Texas Prison Board shall retain a royalty of not less than one-eighth of its interest in said mineral estate. Provided, that the title to any land owned by the prison system in Fort Bend and Brazoria counties and what is known as the Eastham Farm in Houston county shall not be conveyed to any purchaser or purchasers until the sales price and terms are approved by the Legislature."

(Pending consideration of the amendment, Mr. Denman occupied the chair temporarily.)

(Speaker in the chair.)

Mr. Storey moved the previous question on the pending amendments, and the main question was ordered.

Question recurring on the substitute

amendment by Mr. Satterwhite, yeas and nays were demanded.

The substitute amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas-65.

Albritton. Loftin. Avis. Loy. Barnett. Merritt. Barron. Murphy. Bateman. Olsen. Bird. Parish of Runnels. Black. Pavlica. Boggs. Pearce. Bonham. Reagan. Boon. Renfro Brice. of Angelina. Brown. Renfro of Mills. Cummings. Rogers of Hays. DeBerry. Rogers of Shelby. Rowell. Dielmann. Enderby. Runge. Satterwhite. Farrar. Faulk. Sheats. Finlay. Sinks. Smith of Nueces. Gibson. Smith of Smith. Graves. Gray. Smyth. Harding. Stell. Hefley. Storey. High. Stout. Tillotson. Justice. Kayton. Walker. Wallace of Panola. Keeton. Kennedy. Ware. Whitaker. King of Hopkins. Williams King of Throckmorton. of Sabine. Kirkland. Woodall. Young. Land.

Nays-57.

Lewis.

Alexander. Kincaid. Anderson. Lipscomb. Bass. Masterson. Beck. McCombs. Branch. McGill. Conway. Minor. Cornwell. Montgomery. Morse. Cox. Davis. Moursund. Denman. Nabors. Duvall. Nicholson. Parrish of Travis. Forbes. Foster. Petsch. Hagaman. Poage. Hogg. Holder. Pool. Pope. Purl. Holland. Hornaday. Rawlins. Jacks. Shaver. Johnson Shearer. of Dimmit. Shirley. Jones. Simmons. Kemble. Smith of El Paso. Stevenson.
Swain.
Taylor.
Teer.
Turner.
Van Zandt.
Veatch.
Waddell.
Wallace
of Freestone.
Webb.
Wells.
Williams
of Travis.

Absent.

Acker Long. Daniel. Porter. Eickenroht. Powell. Fly. Sanders. Gilbert. Snelgrove. Hall. Sutton. Harman. Wallace of Smith. Johnson Wassell. of Anderson. Williamson. Kenyon. Woodruff. Kirby.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Kinnear. Fuchs. McKean. Gates. Smith of Atascosa.

Paired.

Mr. Fly (present), who would vote "yea," with Mr. Acker (absent), who would vote "nay."

Mr. Wassell (present), who would vote "nay," with Mr. Gilbert (absent), who would vote "yea."

Question then recurring on the amendment as substituted, year and nays were demanded.

The amendment as substituted was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas-73.

Albritton. Hefley. Avis. High. Barnett. Holland. Barron. Justice. Bateman. Kayton. Bird. Keeton. Black. Kennedy. King of Hopkins. Bonham. King of Boon. Branch. Throckmorton. Kirkland. Brice. Brown. Land. Conway. Lewis. Loftin. Cummings. DeBerry. Loy. Dielmann. Masterson. Enderby. Merritt. Murphy. Farrar. Faulk. Olsen. Finlay. Parish of Runnels. Gibson. Pavlica. Graves. Pearce. Gray. Reagan. Harding.

Renfro. Stell. of Angelina. Storey. Renfro of Mills. Stout. Rogers of Hays. Tillotson. Rogers of Shelby. Turner. Rowell. Walker. Runge. Wallace of Panola. Sanders. Ware. Satterwhite. Whitaker. Sheats. Williams of Sabine. Sinks. Williamson. Smith of Nueces. Smith of Smith. Woodall. Young. Smyth. Snelgrove.

Nays-51.

Alexander. Nabors. Bass. Nicholson. Parrish of Travis. Beck. Cornwell. Petsch. Cox. Poage. Davis. Pool. Pope. Denman. Duvall. Purl. Rawlins. Forbes. Foster. Shaver. Hagaman. Shearer. Hogg. Holder. Shirley. Simmons. Smith of El Paso. Hornaday. Stevenson. Jacks. Swain. Johnson Taylor. of Dimmit. Teer. Van Zandt. Jones. Kemble. Veatch. Kincaid. Waddell. Lipscomb. McCombs. McGill. Wassell. Webb. Wells. Minor. Montgomery. Williams of Travis. Morse. Moursund.

Present-Not Voting.

Boggs.

Absent.

Kenyon. Acker. Kirby. Anderson. Daniel. Long. Eickenroht. Porter. Fly. Gilbert. Powell. Sutton. Hall. Wallace of Freestone. Harman. Wallace of Smith. Johnson Woodruff. of Anderson.

Absent-Excused.

Dunlap. Kinnear. Fuchs. McKean. Gates. Smith of Atascosa.

Paired.

Mr. Powell (present), who would vote "nay," with Mr. Long (absent), who would vote "yea."

Mr. Fly (present), who would vote "yea," with Mr. Acker (absent), who would vote "nay."

Mr. Denman offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 61 by adding the following section immediately after Section 3, to be Section 3a, and to read as follows:

"Section 3a. Provided, however, that no sale or lease of any of the property now belonging to the Texas prison system by said Prison Board shall take effect until same has been offered by the Governor of this State."

Signed-Denman, Teer.

Question recurring on the amendment, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas-81.

King of Throckmorten. Mr. Speaker. Anderson. Barnett. Lewis. Barron. Lipscomb. Loy. Bateman. Beck. McCombs. McGill. Bird. Boggs. Bonham. Minor. Montgomery. Branch. Morse. Murphy. Conway. Cornwell. Nabors. Parrish of Travis. Cox. Cummings. Petsch. Poage. Daniel. Pool. Davis. Pope. Denman. Powell. Dielmann. Purl. Duvall. Rawlins. Eickenroht. Forbes. Renfro of Angelina. Foster. Renfro of Mills. Rogers of Shelby. Gibson. Hagaman. Runge. Harman. Sanders. High. Hogg. Holder. Satterwhite. Shaver. Shearer. Holland. Sheats. Jacks. Shirley. Johnson of Dimmit. Simmons. Smith of Nueces. Jones. Smith of Smith. Justice. Stevenson. Kayton. Stout. Kemble.

Wallace Swain. Taylor. of Freestone. Teer. Wallace of Panola. Tillotson. Wassell. Turner. Wells. Van Zandt. Williams of Travis. Williamson. Veatch. Waddell.

Navs-42.

Albritton. Masterson. Alexander. Merritt. Avis. Moursund. Bass. Nicholson. Olsen. Black. Parish of Runnels. Boon. Brice. Pavlica. Brown. Pearce. DeBerry. Reagan. Rogers of Hays. Enderby. Farrar. Rowell. Faulk. Sinks. Finlay. Snelgrove. Graves. Stell. Storey. Gray. Harding. Walker. Hefley. Ware. Keeton. King of Hopkins. Kirkland. Whitaker. Williams of Sabine. Woodall. Land. Loftin. Young.

Absent.

Acker. Kirby. Fly. Long. Gilbert. Porter.

Smith of El Paso. Hall. Johnson Smyth.

of Anderson. Sutton.

Wallace of Smith. Kennedy. Kenyon. Webb. Kincaid. Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Dunlap. Kinnear. Fuchs. McKean. Gates. Smith of Atascosa.

Hornaday.

Paired.

Mr. Fly (present), who would vote "nay," with Mr. Acker (absent), who would vote "yea."

Mr. Satterwhite moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment as substituted was adopted and to table the motion to reconsider.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-67.

Albritton. Lewis. Avis. Loftin. Barnett. Loy. Barron. Merritt. Bass . Murphy. Olsen. Bateman. Parish of Runnels. Bird. Black. Pavlica. Bonham. Pearce. Boon. Pope. Brice. Reagan. Renfro of Mills. Rogers of Hays. Brown. Cummings. Rogers of Shelby. Daniel. DeBerry. Rowell. Dielmann. Runge. Enderby. Sanders. Satterwhite. Farrar. Faulk. Sheats. Finlay. Sinks. Gibson. Smith of Nueces. Graves. Smyth. Gray. Stell. Harding. Storey. Hefley. Stout. Tillotson. High.

Keeton. Kennedy. King of Hopkins.

Justice.

Kayton.

Morse.

King of Throckmorton. Kirkland. Land.

Nays-52.

Turner.

Walker.

Whitaker.

Williams of Sabine.

Woodall.

Young.

Ware.

Wallace of Panola.

Mr. Speaker. Moursund. Alexander. Nicholson. Parrish of Travis. Anderson. Petsch. Beck. Boggs. Poage. Pool. Branch. Conway. Porter. Cornwell. Powell. Purl. Davis. Rawlins. Denman. Forbes. Renfro of Angelina. Foster. Shaver. Hagaman. Harman. Shearer. Shirley. Hogg. Holder. Simmons. Smith of Smith. Holland. Stevenson. Jacks. Swain. Johnson of Dimmit. Taylor. Teer. Jones. Van Zandt. Kemble. Veatch. Lipscomb. Waddell. McCombs. Wallace McGill. of Freestone. Montgomery. Wassell.

Wells.

Williams of Travis.

Absent.

Acker. Long. Cox. Masterson. Duvall. Minor. Eickenroht. Nabors. Fly. Smith of El Paso. Gilbert. Snelgrove. Sutton. Hall. Wallace of Smith. Johnson of Anderson. Webb.

Kenyon. Kincaid. Kirby.

Williamson. Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Dunlap. Fuchs. Gates. Hornaday. Kinnear. McKean.

Smith of Atascosa.

Paired.

Mr. Fly (present), who would vote "yea," with Mr. Acker (absent), who would vote "nay."

Mr. Satterwhite offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 61 by striking out all of Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 2. The Texas Prison Board shall have the power to make executory contracts for the purchase of necessary real estate or other fixed property and appurtenances belonging thereto for use by the prison system, upon such terms as to it may seem most advantageous to the prison system. Provided, no contract for the purchase of real estate or other fixed property or appurtenances belonging thereto, shall be binding upon the Texas Prison Board, or enforceable until said contract has been submitted to and approved by the Legislature and until appropriations have been made by the Legislature from the State Treasury for the payment of such initial or cash payment as may be required in said purchase. The Texas Prison Board shall have power to execute notes for deferred payments, after the initial cash payment has been made, and it shall have power to make such notes payable in such sums and at such times as may be agreed upon between said board and the vendors of any real estate so purchased; provided, that no payment shall be deferred to such a time as to create a debt within the meaning of the Constitution of Texas, and all payments or deferred payments the Fortieth Legislature of Texas, just

shall be made so as to be payable out of current revenues of the year for the biennium, collected or to be collected, so as not to constitute a debt in violation of the Constitution of this State. The title to all lands purchased by the board shall be examined, passed upon and approved as good and sufficient merchantable titles by the Attorney General. The title to all lands so purchased or held by the prison system shall vest in the Texas Prison Board and their successors in office, for the use and benefit of the State of Texas.

"Sec. 3. The fact that the State prison system is undergoing reorganization in its management, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and said rule is hereby suspended, and that this act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

Amend House bill No. 61 by striking out all above the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A bill to be entitled 'An Act authorizing the sale of real estate belonging to the State prison system and the making of oil and mineral leases thereon, and prescribing regulations, restrictions and directions relating thereto; authorizing executory contracts for the purchase of and to purchase necessary real estate or other fixed property and appurtenances belonging thereto for use of the prison system, and prescribing regulations, restrictions and directions relating thereto and relating to payment for such property, and declaring an emergency."

Question-Shall the amendment be adopted?

SENATE BILL ON FIRST READING.

The following Senate bill, received from the Senate today, was laid before the House, read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

Senate bill No. 54, to the Judiciary Committee.

RELATING TO PROPOSED CONSTI-TUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

Mr. Rawlins offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 5, Relating to certain constitutional amendments.

Whereas, At the Regular Session of

passed, there were submitted to a vote of the people of Texas a number of important proposed constitutional amendments affecting the following subjects:

(1) Fixing the compensation of the Governor and members of the Legisla-

ture.

(2) Granting relief to Confederate veterans and their widows.

(3) Exempting from taxation parsonages and certain property of associations for religious, educational and physical development.

(4) Reorganizing the Supreme Court, Court of Criminal Appeals and Courts

of Civil Appeals.

(5) Relating to taxation, authorizing a separation of subjects of taxation for county and State purposes.

(6) Providing for a State Board of Education, and relating to terms of

school officers; and

(7) Abolishing the fee system, and authorizing the Legislature to fix compensation of certain county officers in lieu of fees; and

Whereas, A number of these amendments are to be voted upon at a general election to be held the first Monday in August, 1927, and others to be voted upon the first Monday in November, 1928; and

Whereas, These amendments are most important to the progress and welfare of the people of the State of Texas; and

Whereas, There is apparent danger that the labor of the Legislature will be lost, and the large expense in connection with the submission and publication of said constitutional amendments, ineffective unless the people of the State are fully informed as to the necessity of these amendments, and an organized effort and campaign of information made, which will be necessary to fully inform the voters on each of said amendments; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That a meeting of public spirited citizens and voters of the State of Texas be called and held in the Hall of the House of Representatives on Monday evening, June 6, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of effecting a State-wide organization, the purpose of which shall be to promulgate and disseminate information to the general public concerning all said proposed constitutional amendments, to the end that they may be voted upon intelligently, and adopted or rejected at the said elections.

Signed-Rawlins, Bobbitt, Cummings,

Sinks, Fly, Johnson of Dimmit, Hogg, Holder, Jacks, Pool, Kemble, Young, Morse, Wallace of Freestone, Alexander, Petsch, Montgomery, Wells, Powell, Mc-Gill, Parrish of Travis, Parish of Runnels, Brown.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled bills:

H. B. No. 41, "An Act for the relief of the Independent School District of Rock Springs and the city of Rock Springs, in Edwards county, Texas, in order to aid said municipalities in the reconstruction of public property destroyed by the recent cyclone in that community on the 12th day of April, 1927; granting and appropriating to said school district the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars for school building purposes, the sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars for equipping school buildings, the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars for maintenance of its schools, for the school year ending in 1928, and the sum of five thousand (\$5000) dollars for maintenance of its schools for the school year ending in 1929; granting and appropriating to said city of Rock Springs the sum of twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars for rebuilding and rehabilitating the waterworks system; prescribing manner in which the funds hereby granted and appropriated shall be paid, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 101, "An Act to amend Articles 8229, 8236 and 8238, in Chapter 9, Title 128, Revised Civil Statutes, so as to authorize navigation districts containing municipalities of 100,000 population or more, to issue its obligation to extent of not exceeding \$250,000," etc.

H. B. No. 63, "An Act declaring unlawful the sale or offer for sale, transportation, preparation, receiving or delivery for transportation or marketing of citrus fruit that is immature, unripe, overripe, frost damaged or otherwise unfit for consumption and the sale thereof declared to be a fraud upon the public; defining terms; providing for the inspection of citrus fruits and issuance of certificates of inspection thereof; providing for the purchase and affixing of stamps in connection with the

marketing or transportation of such citrus fruits; providing for the appointment of persons to inspect the same, providing their compensation; defining certain offenses; prescribing the power and duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture with regard to the provisions of this act; providing for the enforcement thereof and prescribing penalties for violation of any of the provisions of this act, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 66, "An Act to relieve various schools of the State by validating certain school districts and to validate bonds issued and taxes levied by such districts for school purposes, and declaring an emergency."

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927. Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed

H. B. No. 63, A bill to be entitled "An Act declaring unlawful the sale or offer for sale, transportation, preparation, receiving or delivery for transportation or marketing of citrus fruit that is immature, unripe, overripe, frost damaged or otherwise unfit for consumption and the sale thereof declared to be a fraud upon the public; defining terms; providing for the inspection of citrus fruits and issuance of certificates of inspection thereof; providing for the purchase and affixing of stamps in connection with the marketing or transportation of such citrus fruits; providing for the appointment of persons to inspect the same and fixing their compensation; defining certain offenses; prescribing the power and duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture with regard to the provisions of this act; providing for the enforcement thereof and prescribing penalties for violation of any of the provisions of this act, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 66, A bill to be entitled "An Act to relieve various schools of the State by validating certain school districts and to validate bonds issued and taxes levied by such districts for school purposes, and declaring an emergency.'

Respectfully, MORRIS C. HANKINS, Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927. Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has adopted Conference Committee report on House bill No. 3 by the following vote: yeas 25, nays 1.

The Senate has concurred in House amendments to Senate bill No. 101 by vote of 30 yeas, 0 nays.

Respectfully, MORRIS C. HANKINS, Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

RECESS.

On motion of Mr. Satterwhite, the House at 6:25 o'clock p. m. took recess to 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

APPENDIX.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS.

The following committees have today filed favorable reports on bills as fol-

Education: Senate bill No. 44;

House bills Nos. 42, 128.
Revenue and Taxation: House bill No. 137.

Judiciary: Senate bill No. 34. Public Health: Senate bill No. 47. Privileges, Suffrage and Elections: House bill No. 83.

Highways and Motor Traffic: House bills Nos. 136, 119, 143, 141.

Judicial Districts: Senate bill No.

The following committee has filed adverse report on bill, as follows:

Education: Senate bill No. 10.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON EN-GROSSED BILLS.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927. Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 64, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the redemption of land sold under decree of court for taxes levied by the State or by any county, and providing that the redemption of land so sold may be had within two years from the date of such sale, and providing the terms, conditions and penalties incident thereto, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and

find it correctly engrossed.

TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed

Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 115, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the duties of the county board of education of the counties with an area of more than eleven hundred square miles and a population of less than forty thousand and not more than 100,000 according to the 1920 Federal census; authorizing the appointment of a county superintendent of public instruction, and his assistants; providing supervision; authorizing the nomination of teachers by the county superintendent subject to the confirmation by local trustees; authorizing the purchase of supplies by the district trustees, subject to the confirmation of the county superintendent; providing for an equalization fund; repealing all laws or parts of laws, general or special, in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and

find it correctly engrossed.
TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room. Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 103, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Articles 1595 and 1600 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 so as to permit in counties having a population of not less than 1300 nor more than 1400 according to the last U. S. census, the removal, by a majority vote, of the county seat from any point in the county located more than five miles from the geographical center of the county to another point more than five miles from said geographical center of the county; enacting the necessary provisions in amending said articles necessary and incidental to said subject and purpose, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly engrossed.

TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 131, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating and establishing the Harris County Houston Ship Channel Navigation District of Harris county, Texas, under Article 3, Section 52, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, for the purpose of development of deep water navigation, the improvement of rivers, bays, creeks, streams or canals within or adjacent to such district, with the power and authority to acquire, purchase, take over, construct, maintain, operate, develop and regulate wharves, docks, warehouses, grain elevators, bunkering facilities, belt railroads, floating plants, lighterage, lands, towing facilities and all other facilities or aids incident to or necessary to the operation or development of ports or waterways within the district and extending to the Gulf of Mexico, provided in Chapter 9, Revised Statutes, 1925; describing said district by metes and bounds; ratifying and validating all orders, notices, elections and proceedgation board and navigation commissioners and other officers of Harris county and of the Harris County Houston Ship Channel Navigation District of Harris county, Texas; ratifying and validating the original petition for the establishment of said district and all subsequent orders, notices, hearings, etc., had thereon; and ratifying and validating all notices of election, the election returns thereof and all orders with respect to the issuance of bonds, the levying of taxes to create sinking funds to retire all of the bonds of said district and to pay the interest thereon; ratifying and confirming the petition, election and results thereof upon the adoption of the special powers for port facilities conferred by subdivision 2, Chapter 9, Revised Statutes, 1925, and all orders made pursuant thereto by the navigation board and the commissioners court; ratifying, confirming and validating the petition, order of election, notices, election returns, canvass by the court of the votes cast at said election, order authorizing the issuance of bonds, and the bonds in the sum of one million five hundred thousand (\$1,500,000) dollars, voted at an election held in said district on December 4, 1926, authorizing the commissioners court and county officers to levy, assess and collect taxes sufficient to pay interest on such bonds and the principal thereof as they mature; authorizing the navigation commissioners to sell said bonds, the Attorney General to register the same; constituting all orders of the commissioners court and orders of the navigation and canal commission, or certified copies thereof, evidence in the court, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly engrossed.

TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 100, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2547, Chapter 2, Title 47, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, and amendments thereto, which article provides for the execution of bonds for securing county deposits; providing for the manner in which such deposits may be secured and the amount of such bonds; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, particularly Chapter 129 of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Fortieth Legislature, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly engrossed.
TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 86, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a more efficient road system for Polk county, Texas; vesting the commissioners court with authority to lay out, drain, repair and maintain such system of roads, and make contracts therefor; purchase teams, tools and machinery thereof; to make payment therefor; giving said court authority to procure and occupy lands and make payment therefor; providing for the acquisition of road building ma- "An Act to provide a special road drag

terials and make payment therefor; providing for compensation to be paid to the county commissioners in connection with their official duties; official road commissioners of their respective precincts, providing that able-bodied men between the ages of twenty-one and forty-five years shall be liable for road duty and shall pay road tax each year therefor, and providing for the assessment and collection thereof; making it a misdemeanor to fail or refuse to pay such road tax and fixing a penalty therefor; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency,

Have carefully compared same and

find it correctly engrossed.

TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 59, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 20 of the General Laws of the Fortieth Legislature, by making its provisions more certain, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly engrossed.

TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 133, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Chapter 612 of the Special Laws of the State of Texas, passed by the Thirty-ninth Legislature, at its First Called Session, which created the Honey Grove Independent School District, in Fannin county, defined its boundaries, etc., and declaring an emergency,

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly engrossed.

TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 1, 1927. Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 93, A bill to be entitled

law for Collin county, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly engrossed.

TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 1, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 101, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 193 of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Fortieth Legislature, to permit the using of seines for the purpose of catching minnows for bait in the public fresh waters of Marion, Harrison, Smith and Rusk counties, State of Texas, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and

find it correctly engrossed.

TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 1, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 94, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 3 and Section 9, Chapter 78, of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Fortieth Legislature, so as to confer juvenile jurisdiction upon the county court of McLennan county and deprive the county court at law to change the inscription on the seal of said county court at law of McLennan county, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and

find it correctly engrossed.

TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 1, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 114, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 8 of Chapter 177 of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature, as amended by Senate bill No. 56, same being Chapter 35 of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Fortieth Legislature, which said Section 8, as amended by said Senate bill No. 56, being Chapter 35 of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Fortieth

Legislature, makes it unlawful for any person to kill, take or have in his possession for barter or sale within a period of ten years of the passage of said act, any wild beaver, wild otter, or wild fox or the pelts thereof, etc., and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly engrossed.

TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 107, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the compensation for county tax assessors in counties containing a city with a population of over 125,000 according to the last United States census, where the county assessor of taxes compiles and makes a transfer book or card index compiled from the real estate transfers recorded in the county clerk's office showing the names transferred to, last owner assessed to, volume and page, description of property, assessed valuation and the consideration in the transfer; keeps a building permit record or card index of all building permits issued showing name of owner, date of permit, description of property on which building is located, description of the improvements, the permit valuation and the final valuation of the building inspector; keeps a record of the builders' liens recorded in the county clerk's office; and also keeps a card index file of all automobiles, busses and trucks, licensed and owned on January 1st of each year, showing owner of auto, owner's address, State highway license number, make and year model of auto, all of said information for the facilitating of the work in said assessor's office and for the more correctly assessing such classes of property and for the purpose of keeping a close check on same, the commissioners court shall allow said assessor who compiles and uses such records extra compensation, not exceeding three thousand dollars annually, beginning with the fiscal year 1927, to be paid in twelve monthly payments, same to be retained by said assessor as ex-officio salary, exclusive of the maximum salary allowed by law, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly engrossed.

TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 1, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 104, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Chapter 112 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature, and restoring the old Cyclone Common School District No. 9 to its original status, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly engrossed.

TAYLOR, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 1, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 120, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide better protection for fish in the fresh waters of Jackson county by making it unlawful to use nets or seines in any of the fresh water streams, lakes, bayous or lagoons in Jackson county, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and

find it correctly engrossed.

TAYLOR, Chairman.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 41, "An Act for the relief of the Independent School District of Rock Springs and the city of Rock Springs, in Edwards county, Texas, in order to aid said municipalities in the reconstruction of public property destroyed by the recent cyclone in that community on the 12th day of April, 1927; granting and appropriating to said school district the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars for school building purposes, the sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars for equipping school buildings, the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars for maintenance of its schools for the school year ending in 1928, and the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for maintenance Wilson county, who are between the

of its schools for the school year ending in 1929; granting and appropriating to said city of Rock Springs the sum of twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars for rebuilding and rehabilitating its waterworks system; prescribing manner in which the funds hereby granted and appropriated shall be paid, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and

find correctly enrolled.

MORSE, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled

Bills, to whom was referred H. B. No. 62, "An Act to ratify and confirm the title of J. H. Cole and all other persons holding a chain of title from W. H. Walters in and to a tract of land in Nacogdoches county, known as the W. H. Walters labor of land, and containing 177 acres of land, and to disavow and relinquish the right, claim and title of the State of Texas in and to said land, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and

find it correctly enrolled.

MORSE, Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 18, "An Act to repeal the Coleman County Special Road Law, being Chapter 52, page 461, Special Laws of the Regular Session of the Twentyninth Legislature, and the amendments to said law passed by Chapter 97, page 763, of the Special Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirtieth Legislature, and declaring an emergency,

Have carefully compared same and

find it correctly enrolled.

DANIEL, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 26, "An Act to levy and collect annually a three dollar road tax against all able-bodied male citizens of ages of twenty-one and forty-five years; providing the manner of assessment and collection of said tax, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and

find it correctly enrolled.

DANIEL, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927. Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the

House of Representatives. Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled

Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 27, "An Act creating Road District No. 1, in Wheeler county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect to said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and

find it correctly enrolled.

DANIEL, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled

Bills, to whom was referred H. B. No. 37, "An Act to diminish the civil and criminal jurisdiction of the county court of Bowie county, Texas, and conform the jurisdiction of the district courts of such county to such change, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and

find it correctly enrolled.

DANIEL, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 28, "An Act creating Road District No. 2, in Wheeler county,

Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district, etc., and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and

find it correctly enrolled.

DANIEL, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled

Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 29, "An Act creating Road District No. 3, in Wheeler county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and

find it correctly enrolled.

DANIEL, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927. Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled

Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 30, "An Act creating Road District No. 4, in Wheeler county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approv-

ing and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

DANIEL, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 45, "An Act creating a more efficient road system for Robertson county. Texas; providing that the commissioners court shall be road commissioners of their respective precincts; providing that such commissioners shall have charge of the roads, teams, tools, machinery and appliancs of said county under the direction of the commissioners court: providing for the laying out, establishment and construction of roads, bridges and culverts, and for the repair and maintenance thereof; providing that the commissioners court shall co-operate with the State Highway Department in the establishment, construction and maintenance of roads, bridges and culverts to be paid for partly by the county and partly by the State or Federal government; authorizing the commissioners court of Robertson county to issue bonds of said county for the purpose of funding or refunding indebtedness incurred for road and bridge purposes and levy a tax in payment thereof, and declaring an emergency,

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

DANIEL, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 1, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 15, "An Act creating and defining by metes and bounds Road District No. 2 of Hidalgo county, Texas, under the authority of Article 3, Section 52, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled, or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof; provided, that such be apportioned to work on any highway

district shall be made a body corporate and taxing district under the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas; including certain territories heretofore embraced and contained within the old original Road District No. 1 of Hidalgo county, Texas; providing that the present outstanding bonds of said original Road District No. 1 shall remain a charge against all taxable properties situated within said original district as it existed at the date of the issuance of the present outstanding bonds thereof; providing that the commissioners court of Hidalgo county shall continue to levy, assess and collect, annually, sufficient taxes to pay the interest thereon and provide sinking funds sufficient to pay the principal at maturity, said taxes to be levied and collected upon all the property situated in said district as it existed at the time of the issuance of the present outstanding bonds; providing that said district hereby created shall have authority to issue serial bonds for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, upon a vote of twothirds majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon, who are qualified electors of said district as herein defined; providing for the levy and collection of taxes sufficient to pay the interest on, and provide a sinking fund therefor, such bonds and taxes to be a charge against all property, real and personal, situated in the hereinafter defined district, and declaring an emergency."

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

DANIEL, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, June 2, 1927.

Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 39, "An Act to amend Chapter 97 as passed by the Thirtyninth Legislature, creating a more efficient road system for Wood county; making the county commissionex-officio road supervisors for their respective precincts in said county; defining their powers and duties as such supervisors; providing for their compensation as such; providing for the working of hands on public roads who fail to pay the road tax provided for herein; providing that no hands shall

maintained by the State of Texas; providing that hands subject to road duty may be apportioned to roads in the precinct of their residence, other than the public road nearest to them; providing for the working of county convicts upon the public roads; providing for notice to be served upon hands subject to road duty, and penalty for violating such notice; providing for the collection and disbursement of certain moneys and the payment of fees for service rendered in connection herewith by certain county officials; prohibiting the use of any of the property belonging to Wood county to be used in its road work for any private purpose, and fixing penal-ties for violation of this act and penalties for the enforcement of the provisions of this act; declaring the provisions of this act cumulative of all general laws of the State of Texas upon this subject, and for the repeal of all special road laws heretofore enacted for Wood county, and parts thereof, when in conflict with any of the provisions of this act, and declaring an emer-

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

DANIEL, Vice-Chairman.

FIFTEENTH DAY.

(Continued.)

(Friday, June 3, 1927.)

The House met at 10 o'clock a. m. and was called to order by Speaker Bobbitt.

HOUSE BILL NO. 61 ON PASSAGE TO ENGROSSMENT.

The Speaker laid before the House, as unfinished business, on its passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 61, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting authority for the sale of personal and real property belonging to the Texas prison system; enacting necessary provisions in reference to the terms and conditions of such sales; granting authority for the purchase of lands and appurtenances thereunto belonging necessary for the State prison system, and enacting necessary provisions relative and incident to the same, and declaring an emergency.'

The bill having been read second time on yesterday, with amendments by Mr. Satterwhite, pending.

Question recurring on the amendments by Mr. Satterwhite, they were severally adopted.

House bill No. 61 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 61 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Teer moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 61 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following

Yeas-112.

Mr. Speaker. Kirkland. Anderson. Land. Avis. Lewis. Barnett. Lipscomb. Loy. Barron. Bass. Masterson. Bateman. McCombs. McGill. Beck. Bird. McKean. Boggs. Merritt. Branch. Minor. Brice. Morse. Brown. Moursund. Conway. Murphy. Cornwell. Nabors. Cummings. Nicholson. Daniel. Olsen. DeBerry. Parish of Runnels. Dielmann. Pavlica. Duvall. Pearce. Enderby. Petsch. Eickenroht. Poage. Farrar. Pool. Faulk. Pope. Finlay. Powell. Purl. Forbes. Foster. Rawlins. Reagan. Fuchs. Gibson. Renfro of Angelina. Gilbert. Renfro of Mills. Gray. Rogers of Hays. Hagaman. Rogers of Shelby. Hall. Rowell. Harding. Harman. Runge. Hefley. Sanders. Shaver. High. Shearer. Hogg. Holland. Sheats. Shirley. Jacks. Johnson Simmons. of Anderson. Sinks. Smith of Nueces. Jones. Smyth. Justice. Snelgrove. Kayton. Keeton. Stevenson. Kincaid. Stout. King of Hopkins. Taylor. Tillotson. King of

Throckmorton.

Turner.